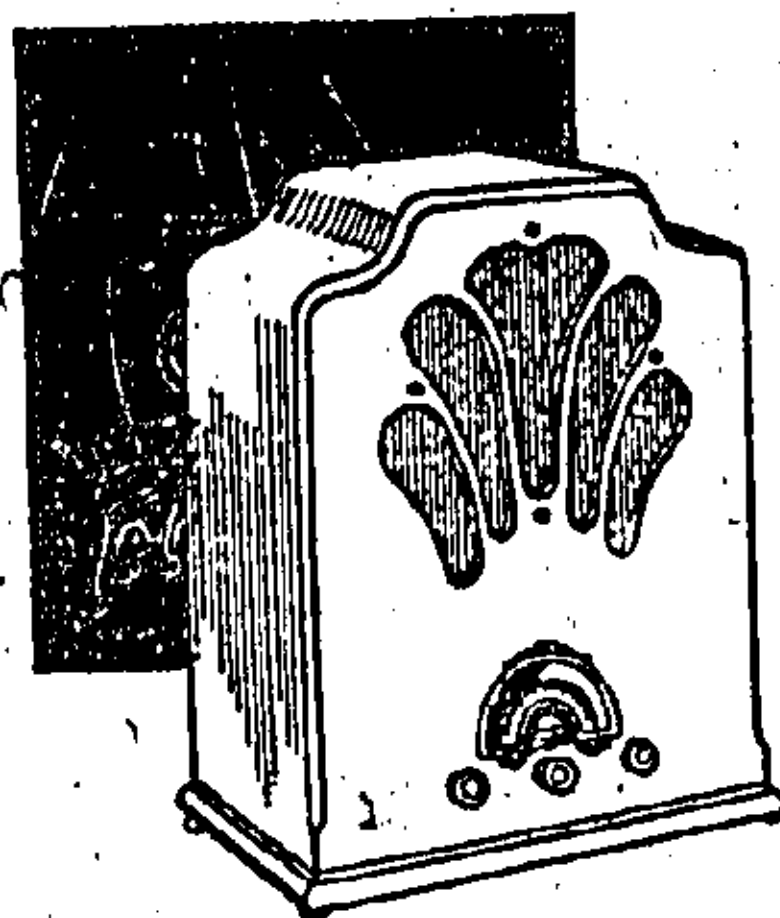




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AMERICA SEEN AS OPPONENT OF JAPANESE

Seeks Furtherance Of
Her Own Interests.

ITALIAN PAPER'S CHARGE.

Rome, To-day.
Pessimism is expressed in Italy at the prospects of a settlement of the Manchurian problem by the League of Nations which, so says the former Geneva delegate, M. Demarini, is likely to content itself with a repetition of tepid recommendations leaving open the question really dividing China and Japan.
The prominent newspaper, "Resto del Carlino," says the question might solve itself if the parties in the dispute were only China and Japan. But behind China is the United States.
The real adversary of Mr. Matsuoka at Geneva is not Dr. W. W. Yen, but Mr. Norman Davis. It is suggested that Mr. Davis not only discussed disarmament during his visits to London and Paris and Rome, but also the Manchurian situation and a solution favourable to the United States. — Reuter.

JAPAN RENEWS HER THREAT OF WITHDRAWAL

Mr. Matsuoka Objects
To Procedure.

REPLIES TO DR. KOO.

Geneva, To-day.
Japan will relinquish its membership in the League of Nations, her spokesman hinted yesterday, if it is found that her remaining within that organisation is incompatible with her policy of maintaining peace and order in the Far East.

Mr. Matsuoka's declaration caused something of a sensation, though it has been for some time understood that a clash of Japanese and League of Nations opinion would have the effect of separating them.

The feature of yesterday's session of the Council was this warning from Japan, and Mr. Matsuoka's additional objection to the Lytton Commission being asked to reconsider its findings in view of the Sino-Japanese dissonance and to report back.

Mr. Matsuoka, in the course of his remarks, said that Japan hoped that she would be able to remain loyal to the League. He resented the imputations to the contrary contained in the attack upon his country by Dr. Wellington Koo, one of the Chinese delegates. — Reuter.

Further Speeches.

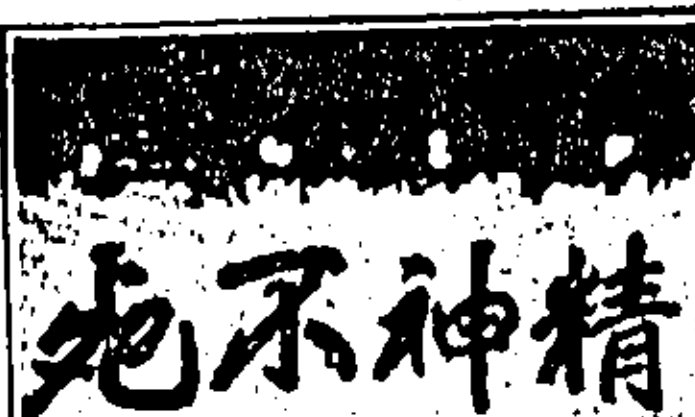
Geneva, To-day.
The League Council heard further speeches yesterday from the Chinese and Japanese delegates, on the Manchurian system, after which the Lytton Commission was asked to meet and report to the next meeting of Council.

Sir John Leaves For London.
Sir John Simon is leaving Geneva to-day for London but will return after a few days. — British Wireless Service.

DESTROYERS RETURN.

The Eighth Destroyer Flotilla, comprising H.M.S. Koppel, Flotilla Leader, H.M.S. Wishart, Wild Swan, Whitehall, Vorty, Veteran, Sirdar, Starling, Seraph, and Seraph, which have been out on exercises in the vicinity of Taipei Bay, are due back in Hong Kong this afternoon.

HONOURS RAILWAY MEN.



This tablet honouring the memory of 14 railway employees including two station masters who were killed while on duty during the Sino-Japanese hostilities around Shanghai early in the year was erected at North Station. Eight others like it were erected along the Shanghai-Nanking Railway.

King To Talk To Empire

Christmas Day Radio
Message Planned.

London, To-day.
It is announced that H.M. the King will broadcast during the afternoon of Christmas Day from Sandringham a message to the people of the Empire.
From the new Empire Broadcasting Station the hook-up will be made with overseas countries, Canada, Australia, India and South Africa. — Reuter.

PATRIOTISM OF SOUTHERN CHINA STRIKES VISITOR

Stronger Sentiment
Than In North.
UNITY DIFFICULTIES.

That the patriotic spirit of National China is stronger in the Southern Provinces than in the North, is the opinion of Mr. Lee Chung-wong, member of the Central Executive Committee and the Construction Committee, who is en route to Yunnan Province to investigate conditions on behalf of the Central Kuomintang.
During an interview with the China Mail to-day, he spoke highly of the patriotic spirit of the people of Canton in particular. "National feeling, such as theirs, can only be found in South China," he declared. He added that while in Hankow, he made a purchase of three articles from a Chinese shop, and was surprised to find that two of the articles were Japanese goods.

Expressing his opinion regarding the prospects of a united China, Mr. Lee said that the power of China could not be centralised, owing to the differences between the Central Government and the various territories. The people, he said, did not have the same confidence in the Kuomintang, as they did in 1924, although Dr. Sun's policy was the only one that could be adopted to save China from the hands of the Communists.

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INTERPORT SOCCER TEAM IN SHANGHAI

Practice On Race
Course.

12,000 CROWD EXPECTED FOR
TO-MORROW'S GAME.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Shanghai, To-day.
The Hong Kong Interport soccer eleven arrived here yesterday after an uneventful voyage. They all look very fit and are quietly confident of victory.

A large crowd of Shanghai players including Stanley Gash, L. F. Stokes and Y. Y. Chow met the McKinley as she came up the river and the visitors were given a great reception on their landing at Custom's Jetty where they were met by a battery of cameras and autograph seekers.

The team were taken at once to the Palace Hotel, where they are being accommodated until Tuesday when they leave for Hong Kong, and after depositing their baggage, they were seen in action on the Race Course at 3 p.m. A fairly large crowd witnessed the loosening up, and were impressed by the form shown by the Chinese players.

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RAIN ENCOUNTERED BY COLONY TEAM.

Manager Cables That Team
Are All Fit.

"The Interport soccer match between Hong Kong and Shanghai at the Cantidrome, Shanghai, to-morrow, will be broadcast from R.U.O.K. Station, commencing at 2.40 p.m., and the kick-off is scheduled for 2.45 p.m. Please advise Z.B.W. for the benefit of Hong Kong followers of the game."

"It is raining at present in Shanghai, and all the members of the team are perfectly fit."

The above news was cabled to the China Mail by Mr. W. E. Hollands, joint manager of the Hong Kong team in Shanghai, and arrived here at 2 p.m. to-day.

FAMOUS SCIENTIST WINS HONOUR.

Sir Aldo Castellani
Given Appointment.

London, To-day.
Sir Aldo Castellani, K.C.M.G., C.M.G., D.S.C., M.D., F.R.C.P., M.D. (Calvo) has been appointed Chief Director of the Institute for Tropical Diseases, in succession to the late Sir Ronald Ross.
Sir Aldo Castellani is also the holder of numerous decorations from Italy, Spain, Egypt and France. He was also a director of Tropical Medicine and Dermatology, a Lecturer of the London School of Tropical Medicine, Milroy Lecturer of the Royal College of Physicians at London. Sir Castellani was formerly the Director of the Government Clinique for Tropical diseases. — Reuter.

British Dye Makers Gaining Markets at Home and Abroad

London, To-day.
In a report issued last night, the Dyestuffs Industry Development Committee recommends that the Dyestuffs Importation Regulation Act, 1920, be continued on its present basis for another three years and that arrangements be made whereby British dye makers should be able to obtain their Benzol, Toluidol and Xylol at prices corresponding to those paid by dye makers abroad.

The report refers to the remark-

PRESIDENT HINDENBURG NO PARTY TO HITLER'S PLAN.

Rejects Suggestion Of A Nazi
Dictatorship Of Germany.

Berlin, To-day.
It is understood that President von Hindenburg has rejected the Nazi suggestion that a Presidential Cabinet be formed under Herr Hitler's virtual dictatorship. Herr Hitler declined two days earlier to attempt to form a government, saying he could not find a majority. — Reuter.

HUGE MINERAL BELT FOUND IN NORTH CANADA

Gold, Silver, Radium
In Rich Supplies.

PROSPECTED BY PLANE.

London, To-day.
The discovery in Canada of a new and rich source of radium, in a mineral area producing gold and silver in large quantities, was described by Major Bernard Day, addressing the Institute of Mining in London.

Major Day predicted the area, which is near Great Bear Lake, Northern Canada, will be as valuable as the Katanga area in the Belgian Congo, which at present produces the world's radium supply.

He believes the silver vein will prove the richest and largest in mining history.

Discoveries of gold are reported over a distance of 25 miles. Samples have been assayed from 17 shillings sixpence to £20 per ton.

It is anticipated that the gold discovery will be of major importance before the end of next summer, for it will be worked at once.

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INDIA CONFERENCE CONTINUES WORK.

Legislative Relations
Under Discussion.

London, To-day.
When the Indian Round Table Conference resumed yesterday under the Chairmanship of Lord Sankey, a full day's discussion was devoted to the consideration of the legislative relations between the centre and the provinces.

It was finally decided to set up a small committee, over which Lord Sankey will preside, to test the general principles regarding the legislative relations between the centre and the provinces by applying them to a list of subjects suggested in the appendix to the second report of the Federal Structure Committee, and to re-examine the definition of those subjects and the effect of the recommendations regarding them, made by the Federal Structure Committee.

— British Wireless Service.

BRITAIN EXHAUSTED BY SACRIFICES

MR. BRUCE PLEADS FOR
ANGLO-U.S. UNITY

OFFICIAL LONDON SILENT

FEARS THAT THE AMERICAN ATTITUDE ON WAR DEBTS WOULD DESTROY THE INTERNATIONAL HARMONY WHICH HAS PREVAILED SINCE THE CONFERENCE AT LAUSANNE, AND FOR THE CONTINUANCE OF WHICH SUCH HIGH HOPES WERE HELD, ARE EXPRESSED IN VARIOUS CENTRES OF EUROPE.

Particularly is the French reaction noticeable following receipt of the reply to the note to Washington asking a suspension of war debt payments due in December.

Hon. Mr. Stanley Bruce, former Prime Minister of Australia and now Minister for the Commonwealth in London, has indicated the most advisable course for the nations to follow. He urges America to consider Britain's past sacrifices, which have exhausted her, and to assume herself, perhaps, the role of the saviour of the world.

He declares that Anglo-American co-operation and understanding is the greatest necessity and that lack of harmony among the nations at the present time will mean the failure of the Economic Conference and a more profound chaos in world finances.

London, To-day.
Appropriate departments in London are giving careful consideration to the United States Government's reply, which was received yesterday, to the recent British proposal for provisional suspension of the war debt instalment due December 15, pending discussion of the whole matter.



Vice-President Elect.
Mr. W. Garner.

It is understood the reply is a document of considerable length, in which the view of the American administration is set forth along the lines already announced in a statement issued yesterday from the White House.

Official quarters in London are maintaining a complete silence on the whole subject and the various statements in circulation purporting to forecast the Government action are completely devoid of authority.

In the House of Commons, Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Rt. Hon. Mr. Neville Chamberlain, refused to make any further statement on the position and the American reply had not then gone before the Cabinet.

Britain's Generosity.
In the meantime, the whole war debts question is naturally being widely discussed in many circles. Hon. Mr. Stanley Bruce, Australian Minister in London, speaking at the Thanksgiving Day dinner of the American Society in London, emphasised the responsibility that lay on those in authority in Britain and America to remove all obstacles in the way of mutual

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CHINA SETS NO HOPE ON LEAGUE AID

Powers Not Fully
Backing Council.

SALVATION IN OWN HANDS.

Shanghai, To-day.
Mr. Sun Fo, President of the Executive Yuan and one of the foremost political figures in China, predicts the failure of the present session of the League of Nations Council.

Interviewed by newspapermen, the son of the great Nationalist, Dr. Sun Yat-sen, declared that China must solve her own problems.

The League of Nations could not exercise sanctions against Japan under the Nine-Power Pact or any similar treaties, because the powers were not fully backing the League, Mr. Sun Fo asserted.

He pointed out, at the same time, that Japan could not possibly withdraw from the League of Nations at present, for in the circumstances such an action would be senseless and would only prejudice the case against her. Until the League had definitely reached a decision decidedly to the disadvantage of Japan, which was most unlikely, Tokyo would not quit the international group.

"It is hopeless for China to place the Manchurian affair before the League of Nations for settlement," said Mr. Sun Fo, in conclusion. "The only way for China is to work out her own salvation, instead of depending upon others." — Reuter.

BRADMAN FAILS TO REACH 20

Tate's First Game
On Tour.

N.S.W. 75 FOR 2.

Sydney, To-day.
Maurice Tate, the Sussex and England all-rounder, performed remarkably well here yesterday when he dismissed both batsmen in the New South Wales innings which realised 75 runs for 2 wickets before lunch.

Tate has just joined the M.C.C. team after his recent nervous breakdown, and was playing in his first match of the tour. He was successful in dismissing Don Bradman, the wizard Australian batsman for 18, the record-breaker stepping in front of one that came straight through.

Alan Kippax, the New South Wales skipper, broke D. R. Jardine's run of successes with the spin of the coin, and decided to take first use of a good wicket in thundery atmosphere and before 5,000 spectators. — Reuter.

DARING YOUNG AVIATOR REACHES HIS GOAL.

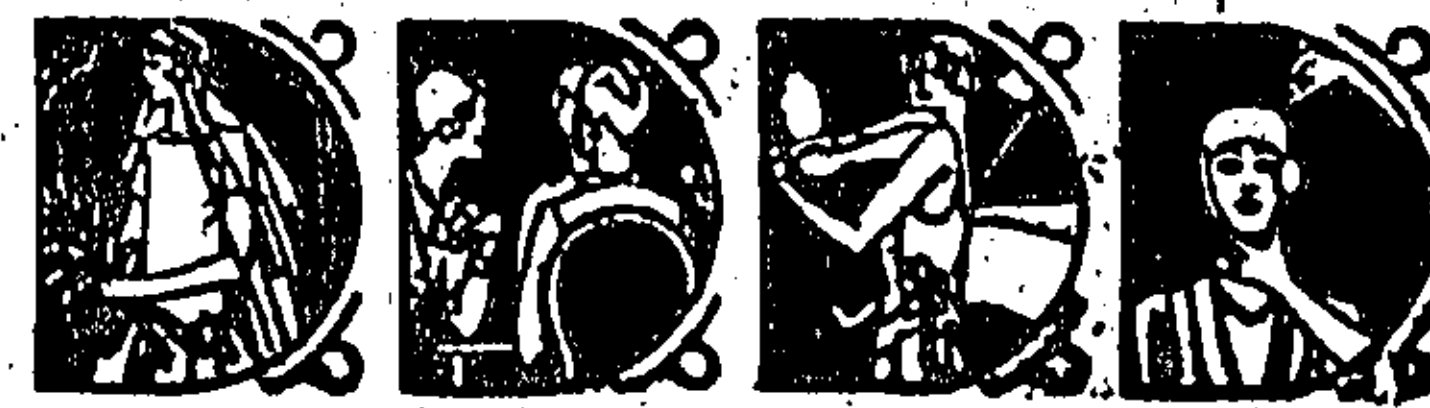
Lands in England After
Adventurous Flight.

London, To-day.
The young South African aviator, Victor Smith, completed his flight from Capetown to England yesterday, but was forced to land at Ashford, 45 miles from his goal, owing to mechanical trouble. Graydon sent out a machine to pick him up.

Smith was lost for a week in the African desert, but the mechanical adjustments made to his machine, he set off again for England. — Reuter.



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TRIMMINGS AND DETAILS.

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Importance.

As usual trimmings and details are assets of importance. A variation on the clip fastening, which Lyolene was a pioneer in featuring, is the use of large decorative hooks and eyes. Crystal bracelet cuffs with little chased designs are used on afternoon models. Some dresses and blouses have the back closing marked by dozens of tiny round flat buttons, fabric covered. On coats and suits are numerous unusual treatments of collar and cuffs. Scarves in lustrous furs like seal and beaver pass around the throat and down the front to tuck under the characteristic Lyolene twisted fabric belts. Long cuffs of fur appear under little cap sleeves of fabric. Cravats of fur that tie in various ways to suit the taste of the individual lend another Lyolene touch to many of the models, marking them as part of an adjustability that has always been featured by the house.

HINTS ON WASHING.

Any of the new fabric gloves and fine silk or Hsle mesh stockings are easily kept fresh and new if washed in sudsy tepid water after each time they are worn. Never let perspiration remain in any fine fabric for any length of time, as acids and soil soon injure the threads. To retain the soft glossy finish of washable kid of suede gloves, leave a little light suds in the final rinsing water. This is also good treatment for washable suede sports jackets, kid and pigskin bags and shoes, and for any animal fabric.

SUITS AND COATS SOPHISTICATED.

All Treatments In
New Designs.

Suits and coats are so intriguingly feminine this year, yet so smartly sophisticated, that if you don't gain ground sartorially it is your own fault. Fur, which knows how to flatter the face in a more beguiling manner than most fabrics, is being used lavishly. Collars have a habit of fastening themselves at the neck in order to demonstrate the effectiveness of the new necklines. Silver muskrat has been shaved and plucked to give the fur a sleek, supple quality for many straight coats. Golden gill ermine, made into youthful coats of the flared type, is popular for spectator sports. Sleeves, which aren't missing a trick, hang long and loose on the majority of the fur coats. Others use a tighter treatment at the wrist, resulting in a wide and graceful puffed effect.

Soft woollens, heavy crepes, and loosely woven tweeds are favourites for dresses for day time. Black is exceedingly popular but it needs a touch of white, as a rule. Lingerie touches of linen, organdie, crepe or satin give a black frock added appeal.

The frock which you wear under your coat should be in harmony with the coat itself. Unless your coat is black, don't wear a black dress. If your coat is cloth, with or without a fur collar, you may wear a matching dress, or one of the new wines, greens or browns that make the woodland collars jealous.

If you prefer a suit, by all means have it in one of the new colours, and don't forget to concentrate attention on the neck and belt. Wide belts, fitted high, are especially good. Scarves of the material of the suit, loop right under the chine in a provocative fashion.

Small hats and berets, for sports, favour a rakish angle.

PAPER PLASTERS.

One of the more painful steps of progress is the use of surgical plaster to fix small dressings where an earlier generation were content with a roller bandage. The bandage undoubtedly grew frayed and dusty, but at least the stripping process was comfortable, and did not, like the modern method, often cause greater discomfort than the wound beneath. Most plaster, however, even if stuck very firmly, will yield to methylated spirit dabbed round the corners with cotton wool. A still better scheme is to damp the sticky side of the plaster with the spirit in the first place, and to leave it a moment before putting it across the dressing. Plaster treated in this way will generally come away easily and in one piece instead of leaving little grey mountains of sticky stuff on the skin.

PURPLE POPULAR.

Cardinal purple and violet are among the favourite colours for evening wear. Winter collections in almost every house show at least one purple evening gown, dinner frock or wrap.

One of smartest is a purple velvet dinner gown designed with a drop shoulder line and elbow length puffed sleeves. The skirt sweeps into full lines below the knees.



Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

Timin.
Stuffed Baked Cod
Boiled Corned Pork and Peas
Pudding
Shantung Cabbage Fried
Portuguese Bars
Dinner.
Onion Soup
Chicken Liver Omelet
Braised Fillet of Beef
Creamed Carrots
Pineapple Sponge

Only heavy or double cream should be used for whipping. Chill the cream, pour in a deep utensil so that it will not spatter and beat slowly and steadily until the cream begins to thicken. Then add ¼ cupful of powdered sugar to each cupful, or half pint of cream, together with ¼ teaspoon of any flavouring extract. Beat until the cream holds its shape when the egg-beater is raised. Cream beaten in this way may be used in the pastry bag and tube.

Chicken Liver Omelet.

Just before folding spread over half the omelet, 2 chicken livers which have been fried until tender in butter, then chopped and seasoned with salt, pepper, grated nutmeg, 1 teaspoon sherry and a dash of Worcestershire sauce.

Peas Pudding.

1 lb. split peas, 1 oz. margarine or butter, ½ teaspoon mixed herbs, 1 onion, 1½ pints stock, salt, pepper to taste. Wash and soak peas in the water. Strain off the liquid and, when boiling, add the peas and the onion. Cook till tender (about 50 minutes). Put through sieve. Add other ingredients. Beat well and pour into greased basin. Cover with greased paper and boil 1 hour. Turn out of basin and serve with sauce or gravy, or bake in greased pie-dish ¾ hour.

Portuguese Bars.

3 oz. rice, 1 pint milk, 3 oz. castor sugar, yolk of 2 eggs. A little lemon essence; 1 whole egg, some breadcrumbs, some red jam. Simmer the rice in the milk with the sugar until soft (this is best done in a double saucepan) gently stirring occasionally. Then remove from the fire, and when cool beat in the two yolks, and add the lemon essence. Then spread on a flat dish to cool. When quite cold cut into bars. Brush over with the beaten egg and cover with breadcrumbs. Fry in hot fat until lightly coloured. There should be an equal number of bars. Spread

over one half of them with jam, and lay the others on top.

Pineapple Sponge.

Cook 1½ cups finely chopped shredded pineapple in ½ cup water for 10 minutes. Turn into a jelly bag and squeeze out as much juice as possible; to the juice add 2/3 cup sugar, 6 sheets leaf gelatine that has soaked in ¼ cup cold water for 20 minutes. Stir over hot water until dissolved. Chill in ice water; add juice of ½ lemon and a few gratings of the rind. When mixture begins to thicken, fold in white of 2 eggs beaten until stiff; continue beating until mixture is very stiff. Turn into fancy mould, (first wet inside with cold water) and chill thoroughly. Unmould on cold serving dish. Surround with whipped cream sweetened and flavoured with vanilla. Serve with finger biscuits.

SATIN SHOES.

When satin evening shoes become soiled and there is not time to send them to the cleaners before they are worn again, they may be cleaned easily at home in the following manner. After beating out any dust from the shoes, they should be placed on light shoe-trees or stuffed with tissue paper. Fill several saucers with petrol and use each one in turn, applying by means of a pad of cotton wool. Renew the cotton wool and change the petrol as soon as it becomes the least soiled. Dry the shoes out of doors, leaving them on the shoe-trees or stuffed with paper in order to retain their shape.

COMPLEXION TINTS.

Use a mild astringent now and then, and make a point of patting a morsel of vanishing cream round your nostrils before applying powder. It is mostly because those corners are so often powdered and so seldom greased first that they get enlarged and oily. Discreet touches of cream on the eyelids at the end of "make-up" give a softening look and enhance eye-beauty, and eyelashes can be persuaded to turn out and upwards if they are gently massaged that way with vaseline and brushed with a special brush as carefully as the hair is groomed.

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RED-HEADED GIRLS
PREFER DARK MENNancy Carroll Declares
They Aren't Fickle.

Hollywood.
Nancy Carroll, famous red-head, rises to the defence of red-headed women, whose dispositions, she declares, have been much maligned. "I admit immediately that the red-head is intensely emotional," the Paramount actress declares. "In this, she undoubtedly stands apart from the blonde and the brunette."

"However, she is not fickle. She is no more of a 'variety'—that is, she is no more unsatisfied with one-man marital relationships—than other women. She is no more liable to be hot-tempered, or emotionally unstable."

"She is accused of these things, just the same, and the reason for it is that she has a second outstanding trait, along with her romantic emotionalism. She is frank and outspoken; often altogether too fearless. Emotions, opinions and longings that her sisters conceal through temperamental reticence, she expresses freely and with no reserve."

"The fact that red-heads are not fickle and are not generally varietyists—at any rate, to a marked degree—is shown by the fact that they prefer one particular type of man."

"Red-heads prefer dark men!" she declares.

MORE BRITISH COMEDIES.

Gus McNaughton, who attracted attention in the recent Gene Gerard picture, "Lucky Girl," heads the cast of "Double Trouble," which has just been completed and will shortly receive its trade show.

Here is a comedy which has for its basis the theme of mistaken identity with Gus McNaughton's efforts to cover up a slight fall from grace by pleading that his double was the culprit with the result of humour of the most uproarious kind. B.L.P. predict that this will be another success of the standing of "My Wife's Family."

TALKIE TALKS
by
DianeJACK BUCHANAN GREAT IN
"GOOD-NIGHT VIENNA"JACKIE COOPER'S CLEVER ACTING
AT QUEEN'S."Lady And Gent" With Bancroft Due
At King's.

I have just returned from having a good cry, and write of how much I enjoyed myself. If you have seen Richard Dix and that boy genius Jackie Cooper in "Donovan's Kid," you will not wonder.

I liked it better than "The Champ." The story was interesting and told of the 1916 vintage of gangster. Polite ones who only robbed jewellery stores and cashiers—not the boot-legging murderers of today. No sordid love affairs, no "Molls," just the reforming of one of nature's gentlemen through the great love he bears for his adopted son. Marian Shilling, Boris Karloff—(now famous) do well in small parts.

The whole programme is good this week, to make up for the appalling mistake of last week "Happy Ending" and that objectionable "short" can be counted the month's worst mistakes. No wonder our American cousins say they can't understand it. Of course when you hear Ronald Colman, Leslie Howard, Herbert Marshall, Harold Huth, etc. speak, you rave over the delightful cultured speaking voices, but when it comes to Cockney—well, lead me away, I can't bear to hear it.

"Viennese Nights." We used to wonder why those wonderful shows of Fanchon and Marco were not put on the films. This week there is a pretty scene after their style. "A Flower Garden," I personally would like more of them, and the British Radio stars sometimes given us by Pathe please me. When we heard "I bring a love-song" played by that Symphony Orchestra in the last act of "Viennese Nights," how one was thrilled!

Well—at last, after repeatedly talking of it in my notes, we are

having this magnificent Warner Bros' show on Sunday at the Queen's. The old operetta style, and the ever-happy Viennese dancing and singing under the stars, although worked to a frazzle in musical plays, will appeal strongly to local audiences, because the music is so tuneful and charming. Alexander Gray and Vivienne Segal have never done better work, and Jean Hersholt, Alice Bay, Walter Pidgeon and Louis Fazenda make this technicolour film memorable. Opera is always artificial, but there is quite a pretty story in this one. Pretty daughter of boot-maker who loves penniless musician in vain—and is forced to marry rich Baron. Their last romance is re-found in their grand-children. This film broke records in many cities, and I think it is likely to do so here.

"Transgression."

After this finishes, Kay Francis, Paul Cavanagh and Ricardo Cortez come along in "Transgression." Wives should take a warning, and not write compromising letters. A woman visits her lover in a lonely mountain retreat, is disillusioned, and decides that her husband is the better man. She flies in a plane to stop her letter, being read, and her husband being the most tolerant of men—all is forgiven. The story is redeemed by good all-round acting. These attractions are coming to the Queen's.

"Life Goes On."

We used to like Hugh Wakefield on the stage, I remember, but somehow since we have had his type so perfectly portrayed on the films by Roland Young and Charles Ruggles, I am not so keen on the British Paramount star. "Life Goes On" with a story taking place in a grand

London Hotel. Betty Stockfield would look more attractive if she had a Myrna Loy figure. Elsie Randolph could be improved by better make-up and general improvement all round. Still, the situations are quite exciting and there is fairly good acting.

"Lady and Gent."

This is followed by the last picture made by George Bancroft for Paramount, with Wynne Gibson in "Lady and Gent." The performances from the two stars are outstanding. This is a big film, as far as acting is concerned. Wynne Gibson is supposed to portray the life of Tex Guinan. It rather represents the prize-ring as a disgraceful calling, which is certainly something new in films. Thus we have Jimmy Gleason losing his life rather than let his schoolboy son know his calling, as manager of the gent who uses his fists for a livelihood.

There is a big cast with Charles Starrett as the son, but Bancroft and my favourite Wynne don't allow anyone to take the picture from them—they are admirably paired in this sentimental tale of a pugilist and a night-club chaperone. "Fans" can't help but like it—soon, comes the magnetic Sari Maritza in "Forgotten Commandments." The new star and the sequences of Cecil B. de Mille's "Ten Commandments" make a fine film. (King's).

"Good-night Vienna."

Jack Buchanan the most popular of all British male stars comes in the home-made film "Good-night Vienna." Anna Neagle, reminds me, in face, of Evelyn Laye. As a turn, when the idol of Vienna, she is not a first-class artist, but she, with the rest of the large cast don't matter. Buchanan, like Ronald Colman, is a cold lover, but he charms with his singing. Regret he did not dance for us. You can't help humming the theme song, and that pretty Fox-trot number with words about, "Living in clover, and thrilling all over," is also haunting.

I can't quite see the point of making the hero so ill-bred, as he walks out the cynosure of all eyes at the theatre, when the heroine refuses to sing his request number. Still, I am not out to criticise. The film is really most enjoyable, and broke all records in London.

"Scandal."

Drama of a hot-news Editor whose private life would make any film interesting—with Charles Bickford, Rose Hobart and Pat O'Brien. In "Scandal," we have this ho-man, at his best.

Entertaining screen fare with good acting and a few thrills. Even if the beautiful Constance Bennett does again essay the unmarried mother role, with Joe McCrea, Paul Cavanagh and suffering heroine in "Born to Love" we have another winner for the highest-paid screen actress. This is the first-class fare promised us at the Central.

Attractions at Star.

What a disappointment we had in "Susan Lennox" just because they called it by that name. Had they used the name "The Rise of Helga," we would have liked Greta Garbo and Clark Gable better. We both so loved Graham Phillips' classic so much. Now to the Star comes the famous Swede and Gable. Seeing it again I may like it better.

Ted Lewis copies "The Singing Fool" story in "Is Everybody Happy," but when he conducts that grand orchestra he makes up for not being a first rater as a film actor. What, and why are we returning to the silents? Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, Junr. in "Modern Maidens"—Pre-talkie. Current attractions at the Star.

Thanks for the Los Angeles and New York papers, they make me envious. Surprise to see that the L.A. press praise the whole cast, most especially Joan Crawford in "Rain"—and the other critics pull the whole performance to shreds. Also, that marvellous book "Mother Earth." It is an absolute wash-out as a stage play. From the star, Nazimova, down, the good old U.S. accent stands supreme, and with the picture post-card scenery, Chinese native life is NOT conveyed for one moment.

Without question, I predict that the worlds' loveliest love story "Smilin' Through" will be a riot wherever shown. We saw it together at the old Cornet, when Norma Talmadge was perfection in the part—and Harrison Ford, both now lost to films. Norma Shearer, Leslie Howard and Fredric March are superb. Critics give it one hundred per cent notices. Charles Butterworth was here last week in "Love Me To-night."

I note that the 'droll comedian is now on Broadway in the Revue "Flying Colours."—And so the Garbo will do, as her first picture—Somermet Maughan's story of Hong Kong—"The Painted Veil"—Expect the locale will be moved to an imaginary city in China.

Did Mrs. Katharine Cecil Thurston commit suicide?—You remember George Alexander in her strong play "John Chilcote M. P." Well—I see that it is to be Ronald Colman's next picture, with Elissa Landi opposite. Glad that he had Ray Francis as lead in "Cynara"—and I am wondering what the new English girl Phyllis Barry is like.

Talk about sensations—"The Bill of Divorcement" with John Barrymore, Billie Burke, and the wonder girl Katherine Hepburn, is likely to make screen history this year.—Ramon Novarro with Helen Hayes will please me more than he did when opposite the Garbo.—They are at work on Son-Daughter Does it not seem strange to associate the name of Jesse Lasky with Fox, after all those years with Paramount?—Ah NOW the secret is OUT—WHY Sylvia Sydney was given ALL the plums of part. She is expecting to be the wife of B.P. Schulberg—who is to Paramount what Thalberg is to M-G-M.—

Herbert Mundin is to be starred by Fox in a series of comedies—and that good-looking chap Kane Richmond who has been doing a Talkie version of "The Leather Pushers" is now on his way, with a large company, to make "Man-eaters" in Malaya under the Fox banner.

In the Broadway shows I notice Gilbert Emery and Kent Douglas in "Men Must Fight," and Rose Hobart and Humphrey Bogart in "I Loved you Wednesday."

Ian Hay will go over to New York for the opening of his new play "Lucky in Love."

For "Grand Hotel" in London at the Palace, large queues form daily for this picture, quite unheard-of. Years ago when Charles Quarmain and Frank Vosper were put here, the stage manager James Jolley married the leading lady, Jeanette Sherwin. I see his name in the Baltimore Theatre Guild in their production of Broadway.

Marie Dressler is not too well these days, and only works six hours a day at the studio, and does little, or no social life. She will work again with Wallace Beery in "Tag-boat Annie"—the story which ran in the Saturday Evening Post. Regret to see that Ralph Bellamy

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PRODUCTION."Slapstick Burlesque"
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Another typical Wheeler and Woolsey opus, full of wisecracks, novel gags and slapstick burlesque, in finished. Instead of having the background of a shapely chorus as in several of their recent pictures, they have a crew of subsidiary comedians this time, numbering in the cast Edna May Oliver, Warren Hymer and Edgar Kennedy. Roscoe Ates appears long enough to stutter one line.

"Hold 'Em Jail" is the clever title of the picture, and football its theme. Wheeler and Woolsey, in the film, make the mistake of boasting that they are football players, which they are not. The boast is overheard by an alumnus of the state penitentiary, who is on the lookout for football material for the old alma mater, and he frames them so convincingly that presently they become fully accredited convicts.

Much of the material, it seemed, would have been funnier if handled less blatantly, but that would not be the Wheeler and Woolsey way. No doubt the admirers of this pair of comedians like them as they are, and those who have enjoyed their previous pictures will relish this one.

has worked out of Fox, because they refused to give a higher salary. Thousands of "fans" objected when Janet Gaynor was given another lead but Farrell in Mary Pickford's old play "Tess of the Storm Country," so we shall see the famous pair together. Janet has been told to grow her hair, too.

And so the marriage of Alice Joyce and James Regan, Junr., is going on the rocks? Rumour has it that she will re-marry Tom Moore, with whom she is now acting in Vaudeville. You told me weeks ago that Joan Crawford would do "Lost" with Jackie Cooper, but I see it has been shelved.

Jane Lady Inverclyde has sued John Bull and Hannon Swaffer owing to the publication in "Hanon Swaffer's Open Letter to June." She has engaged Sir Patrick Hastings and Wilfred Lewis as Counsel.

Charles Laughton will return to the London Stage. Promise lots more gossip next week.

Cinecisms

Plans a Vacation.

Nils Aather is planning a long sea trip and rest after the completion of the picture, "The Bitter Tea of General Yen". Nils has been under a severe strain throughout the shooting of the Grace Zaring Stone's novel and feels now that he's entitled to give his nerves a rest.

Pals

Connie Cummings and Nancy Carroll are going places and seeing things together these days. When Connie isn't busy on "Washington Merry-Go-Round", she and Nancy are putting their heads together thinking up some double mischief.

Helps Himself

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Romance?

Columbia Pictures reserved a section of seats at the Olympic games the other day for the cast of "That's My Boy" and among those present were Richard Cromwell and Dorothy Jordan, who play the leads in the picture. And, just by way of prophecy, you can look forward to seeing these two together often. Dick and Dorothy show signs of liking each other.

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MAIL REVIEW

"YOUNG DONOVAN'S KID"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

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Richard Dix is cast as the gang leader, who reforms because of the love he has for Cooper, who idolizes him. Recommended!

MAIL REVIEW

"GOOD-NIGHT VIENNA"—CENTRAL THEATRE.

The British and Dominions' production "Good-night Vienna," now showing at the Central Theatre, is Britain's contribution to screen musical comedy, and a very successful one at that.

Herbert Wilcox has never directed a picture better, nor has Jack Buchanan appeared to greater advantage.

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As the flower girl Anna Neagle is excellent; she has charm, poise, and ability. She is certainly one of the most promising stars on British screens.

The long cast is excellent in every way; there is not a weakness in it. But it is not only the acting that is so superlative, but also the technical qualities of the production.

MAIL REVIEW

"LIFE GOES ON"—KING'S THEATRE.

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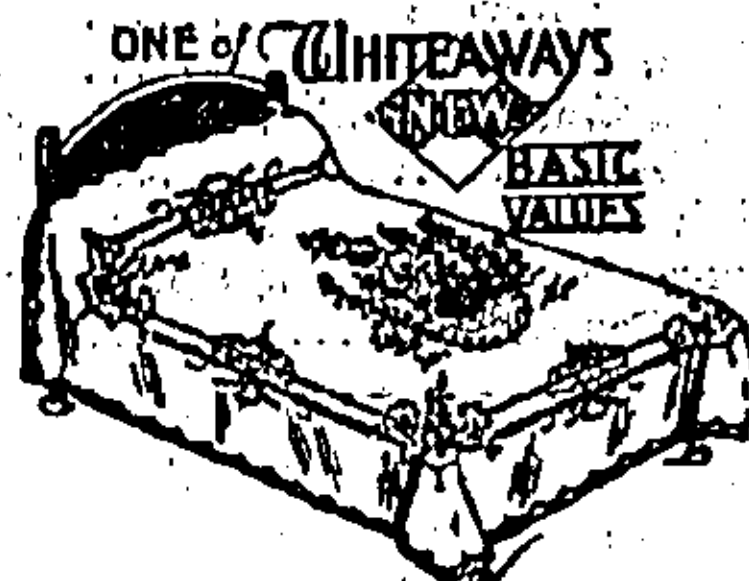
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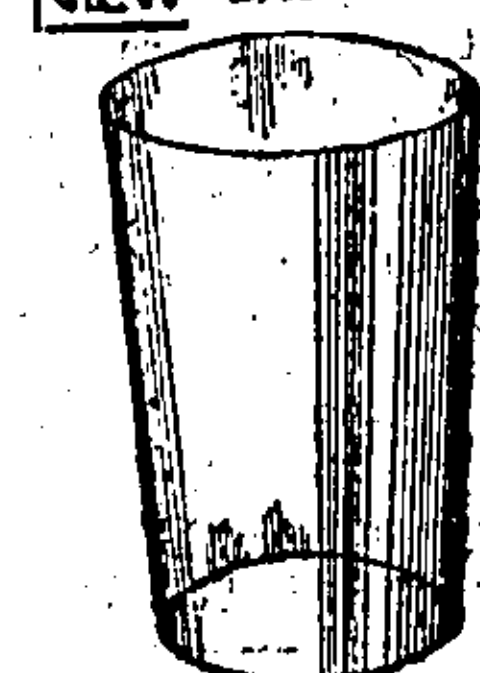
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Iraq And Its Minorities.

The formal admission of the Arab Kingdom to the League of Nations early in the recent meeting of the Assembly draws attention to the satisfactory economic and financial condition of Iraq and the rapid progress made by the young State towards complete independence. This progress necessarily involves the complete transfer of administrative control and responsibility for internal order from British to Iraqi hands. The Treaty of Alliance between the United Kingdom and Iraq, which was signed at Baghdad two years ago and becomes operative as soon as Iraq enters the League, is quite explicit on this point. It is true that the Treaty provides for the maintenance of British military air-bases in Iraq during its life of twenty-five years. But a study of its text clearly indicates that it is not intended that the Royal Air Force shall have any other military function in Iraq beyond the protection of the country from foreign aggression and the defence of British air communications. It would naturally defend its own bases and these communications were they attacked in the course of any domestic broils which might unhappily disturb the internal peace of Mesopotamia. But there should be no question of the further employment of British aircraft in local operations such as those which were recently conducted against the Sheikh of Basra. The question whether this chief, his 500 followers, and the villagers whom they might enlist were really so predatory or so dangerous to the Iraqi Government as to require the attentions of the Royal Air Force as well as those of the Iraqi Army must be left to experts to decide. But even if British aerial intervention was justifiably invoked and granted in this case, do the relevant clauses of the Treaty entirely rule out the danger that it might be unjustifiably invoked and granted owing to a misapprehension of the situation by the British Government? They may do so, and it is to be presumed that, although the British inspectors in the Iraqi administration are being withdrawn, the officers of the Levant Consular Service, his own diplomatic staff and his military advisers will furnish the British Minister to Baghdad with sufficiently full information to enable him to advise His Majesty's Government if and when vital British interests in Iraq require protection by offensive military action against internal disorder. The

guarantees of the rights of the minorities which the Iraqi Government have given to the League Council seem moreover to justify the belief that King Feisal's Ministers realise the importance of dispelling the misgivings of these communities, and the hope that their Parliamentary supporters will ratify their pledges and that their subordinates will translate them into action. The keenest Arab Nationalist must realise that the peace and prosperity of independent Iraq must depend mainly on the establishment of friendly relations between Arab Baghdad and Basra and the non-Arabs of the economically all-important province of Mosul. In any case for the employment of air-bombers against the villages of recalcitrant tribes, whether in Iraq or on the North-West Frontier of India, is open to criticism from many points of view. However carefully it is controlled it is always likely to be attended by the widespread destruction of property and the slaughter of non-combatants. The just and the unjust are indistinguishable from the heights of the air. Politically it seems illogical for a Government which supports the restriction of aerial bombing in regular warfare to tolerate it in irregular operations. On the Indian frontier it leaves more bitterness behind than the old punitive methods; and it is doubtful whether there is any justification for the belief that it is effective against seditious hillmen unencumbered by wheeled transport and skilful in taking cover. Aerial bombing did not keep the Afridis from raiding right up to Peshawar two years ago.

South American Contrasts.

Notwithstanding the admonitions of neutral American States and the appeals of the League of Nations, the Bolivian Government seems bent on solving the problem of the ownership of the Gran Chaco by force of arms. Skirmishes with the Paraguayans are frequent, and the sedulous efforts of propagandists have borne fruit in a general outburst of martial ardour. Some of these manifestations of enthusiasm have a comic side. More dangerous from the military point of view is the belief of the Bolivians that they can extemporise their medical and transport services and drive the Paraguayans out of a difficult and unhealthy region in a brief campaign. Their opponents, who are cheering less but may be doing more, have better communications, and it should be remembered that they showed exceptional fighting qualities in the war of 1895-1896, when they resisted the armies of Brazil, Uruguay

HERE. THERE
and
EVERYWHERE.Cambridge and the Foreign Office.
In the recent Foreign Office Examination the first five places were filled by Cambridge men—a revolution.

In former days the Foreign Office and the Diplomatic Service were close preserves for Eton and Oxford. Of the twelve British Ambassadors who are serving today six were at Oxford. Cambridge cannot claim a single representative. An examination of the list of Counsellors and Secretaries shows the same preponderance in favour of Oxford.

The reason for this Oxford domination, so Cambridge men said, was because the examination was a repetition of the Oxford "Greats" examination.

Now Oxford men will doubtless say the reason is because of the tendency in recent years to widen the scope of the Civil Service examination, and that this favours the diffuse, skin-deep type of education propagated in Cambridge!

Your Daily Smile.

LAUGHING AT LOVE.
Love laughs at locksmiths, but anything that's laughed at as much as love has to retaliate somehow.

OVERHEARD.

"May I present my wife to you?"
"No, thanks. I have one."

In These Hard Times.

Cut one's coat according to the moth.

LAUGH, CLOWN, LAUGH!

What's wrong with the average husband is that he takes wife too seriously.

Not Playing the Game.

It is stated that a famous sportsman has accounted for 50,000 ducks during his life. Batmen are sincerely thankful that he never took up cricket.

Facts You Did Not Know.

Touching a lever on a new kitchen wall cabinet releases a single match.

The United Kingdom is the largest foreign purchaser of leather from the United States.

A pistol with three barrels mounted vertically has been invented for shooting tear gas shells.

North Manchuria, with an area about equal to that of Texas, has a population estimated at 15,000,000.

and Argentina until more than three-quarters of their own male population had perished. Meanwhile the Southern neighbours of Bolivia and Paraguay are hopefully endeavouring to settle recent disputes. Last month diplomatic intercourse between Uruguay and Argentina was broken off. The relations between the two Republics became strained last year in consequence of the choice of Uruguay as a refuge by Argentine political fugitives. When General Justo was elected President of Argentina most of them were allowed to return. A General, however, was excepted from the amnesty. He had made friends in Uruguay, and as bad luck would have it, called upon the captain of a Uruguayan cruiser just before she steamed off to take part in the Argentine independence celebrations. On arriving at Buenos Aires the cruiser was visited by the Argentine secret police, who had been led to believe quite erroneously that the General was on board. The diplomatic correspondence that ensued was acrimonious; Uruguay withdrew her Ambassador; the Argentine representative was handed his credentials; but the peoples of the two countries manifested no ill will towards one another; there were offers of mediation; and an early renewal of diplomatic relations is now expected. Negotiations are also taking place between Chile and Argentina for the reopening of the Transandinian Railway, which was closed to traffic in April in consequence of the tariff war between the two States. A provisional trade agreement has been proposed which will enable traffic to be resumed pending a definite Customs agreement.

THE FASCIST DECLINE
NARROW NATIONALIST
GOVERNMENTPEOPLE DESERVING OF BETTER
TREATMENT

The seasoned traveller and the newcomer to Germany alike usually share a high opinion of the country, its people, and its institutions. At the frontier the eye appreciatively notes the bearing of Customs and railway officials and the neat, over-alled woman who comes aboard to clean the carriages.

This good impression is deepened by the tidiness and order of the cities and the predominantly fair dealing which the newcomer receives, beginning with the taxi-driver who says "Thank you" for the amount shown on his meter and the waiter who expects only his title of the bill. The British visitor, in particular is reminded of his country people and encouraged to a sense of kinship by the invariable friendliness and courtesy of the man from whom he inquires the way or asks for information. Many voices are asking whether this friendly and often reasonable people is getting the government it deserves. Certainly it has not that which it deserves, for the era of government by decree which began in 1930 has culminated in an autocratic Government representing a narrow nationalist, militarist, monarchist, landowning, and industrialist interests without any firm root in the people. It awakens memories of collapse, and the people as yet distrusts it, but the inbred discipline of the Germans, the instinct to follow the band, may yet rally the nation to it.

The developments which have brought Germany to this pass were not easy currently to follow. The Republic, as contemplated by the Constitution-makers of Weimar, was to be governed by a delicately balanced mechanism of three mutually corrective and supplementary units—President, Government, and Reichstag. The Government was to link the President, who appointed it, with the Reichstag, whose confidence was the condition of its existence; thus Parliament, having standing control over the Government, was to hold the balance. The Federal States, with their pendent Constitutions, had far-reaching autonomous control of civil administration, police, justice, and finance. The position of Prussia was peculiar in that the Reich Government was in a sense a guest in Berlin; there were manifold possibilities of conflict if two Governments, of seriously antagonistic views should sit concurrently in the capital, and the Prussian police—the only other considerable force in the country—having been cradled in Republicanism, might conceivably have been opposed to the Reichswehr.

A Clash of Rights.
The Republican Constitution-makers reckoned without a difficulty which in the event bids fair to upset their structure. The Reichstag, with its multiple parties, seldom had difficulty in producing majorities against the Government, but was often unable to find one for its primary function—legislation. Finally recourse was had to Article 48, though this was drafted for other emergencies; it empowers the President to take "the necessary measures" if law and order are endangered and to compel Federal States, if need be by force, to fulfil their constitutional or legal obligations.

Under this elastic authorisation Germany has been governed by Presidential edicts for over two years. Budgets have been enacted, wages and unemployment benefits cut, labour and social legislation overriden, interest rates reduced, tenants freed from their leases, private contracts broken, controlling interests acquired in banks, coal-mines, iron and steel works, shipping lines subsidised, and private payments to foreign creditors partly suspended, and much more.

President's Control.
These decrees take legal force with promulgation, but must be revoked if Parliament demands. Dr. Brüning, by adroitly obtaining the rejection of revocation motions, preserved the semblance of Parliamentary control and held the balance between President and Parliament for two years. But in the process the Government came to repose not on the confidence of Parliament, but on that of the President, and "Presidential Germany" as distinct from the Republican Germany of the first post-war decade was born. When

the Presidential signature was withheld from a decree Dr. Brüning's resignation became inevitable; though in theory he might have sought a vote of confidence and thus have provoked an open conflict between President and Parliament. A Government was formed which the public mind identified with the Prussian military caste, with the big estates of East Elbia, with the former nobility, and with monarchism. This Government dissolved Dr. Brüning's Reichstag, and elected one even more hostile to the Government chosen by the elected representative of the nation. There was thus revealed the clash between constitutional rights—the President's right of dissolution and the Reichstag's right to revoke the emergency measures. The first right, as constitutionalists appar- ently agree, must override the second; and the Reichstag, showing that it meant to revoke a decree, was dissolved. The President's advisers claimed that a Reichstag which could "censure but not legislate" was "unworkable." Forced by events to emerge from the ornamental position of his earlier Presidency and take Germany's destiny in his own hands, President von Hindenburg clearly accepted this view.

Towards Dictatorship.
Germany, therefore, will be governed by the President's signature and the implicit might of the Reichswehr—an unchallengeable union of pen and sword—until the Reichstag comes to the heel of this Government or produces an alternative. The President, who is described with some force in a current book as "The first elected King of Germany," is accessible to his advisers, but allows no one else to make his decisions. For this reason none can with certainty forecast coming developments.

It was widely argued that another dissolution, must lead to an open dictatorship that dissolution has occurred. To the detached observer it seems that the possibilities of Article 48 may not yet have been exhausted; in any case everything possible will be done to avert this development. The defeated Government hoped that a trade and employment revival may detach enough voters from Herr Hitler to Dr. Brüning for the Nationalists to be indispensable in any future coalition negotiations, and that election losses would awaken the Nazis to the necessity to save what they can by co-operating with the Government. These calculations, failed; and Germany's future rests on the President's decision.

The other outstanding fact in the German situation is the discomfiture of the Nazis. Unless all the signs deceive, the Nazi bubble has been pricked. Irresolution is seen in the Nazi Press and on the Nazi platform; yet Herr Hitler demands a dictatorship and refused to form a Government.

COOK BOY CAUGHT
RED-HANDED.Once Robbed The I.G.P.,
Now Chooses Jewels.

During the hearing to-day of a charge of the theft of a quantity of jewellery from his employer, Mrs. R. Cousins, 2 St. Wan Terrace, Ling Chiu, employed as cook boy, admitted a previous conviction of three months for stealing in 1918, and according to Detective-Sergeant Fitches, stated he stole from the Inspector General of Police (The Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe) about \$200 or \$300. On the present charge the defendant was sentenced to one year by Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court.

Detective-Sergeant Fitches said that the defendant had been employed by Mrs. Cousins for a year. On November 19 he took the key out of her handbag, unlocked her chest-of-drawers and stole the jewellery from a jewel case. On November 22 he went through the same procedure. He was arrested at a pawnshop. Sergeant Fitches added that he was applying for a summons to take action against the pawnbrokers, as he thought they should have made more enquiries before accepting the jewellery.

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HARVARD'S BIGGEST DEFEAT

MICHIGAN WINS CONFERENCE

New York, Nov. 19. FOOTBALL fans—most of them shivering—saw Yale wallop Harvard today, Michigan win the Western Conference championship. Army again victorious. Navy put up a hard scrap against Notre Dame, and Stanford and California battle to a scoreless tie.

In their annual classic, Yale swamped Harvard 19 to 0 in a game played in the mud during a steady rain before a crowd of 45,000 in the Yale Bowl. Walter Levering scored two touchdowns as the Bulldog handed their old rivals the worst setback in their 30-year series.

The weather kept the great bowl, which seats some 70,000, from being more than two-thirds full. The defeat added to the disaster of the season for the Crimson, which started out auspiciously but has suffered from injuries.

Undeclared and united, Michigan clinched the undisputed championship of the Big Ten at Minneapolis by means of a single field goal, beating Minnesota 3 to 0 before 20,000 shivering spectators. Last year title claims were advanced by Purdue and Northwestern as well as Michigan.

VIDAL'S RUN
A brilliant run by Felix Vidal for 75 yards and a touchdown won for the Army at West Point 7 to 0 over West Virginia Wesleyan. The gridiron was ankle deep in mud and playing in blinding rainstorm, the Cadets could not get started against their weaker foes. Wesleyan, which last year held Navy to a scoreless tie, put up a good scrap.

At Cleveland a scrapping Navy eleven twice held the heavier and stronger Notre Dame outfit for downs within its two-yard line and thus got considerable satisfaction out of 12 to 0 defeat. The two Irish touchdowns were both made in the second quarter by means of passes. Last year the Middles lost by three touchdowns to the Ramblers.

THRILLING TIE
Probably the most exciting game of the day was that at Berkeley between California and Stanford which kept a crowd of 77,000 in a frenzy almost throughout though it ended in a scoreless tie.

The Bears, outplayed for the first three quarters and staving off a Stanford touchdown in the opening period by only a yard, came back strong in the final period and drove from their own 33-yard line to Stanford's six-yard marker. There the final gun ended the march that just failed to bring victory and revenge for last year's 6-0 defeat by the Cardinals.

The chief inter-sectional contest was at New York where Fordham outwalled Oregon State to win by the unusual score of 8 to 6.

The locals, with the score tied, blocked a kick in the final quarter and though an Oregon player fell on the ball it was behind his own goal and thus the play netted two points and the victory for Fordham.

PITTSBURGH WIN
Splashing through the mire

JOCKEYS' BETS
Action To Be Taken.

I understand, writes "The Scout" in the Daily Express, it is likely that, before another flat-racing season begins next March, an important new rule will be made by the Jockey Club which will affect all jockeys riding under the rules of the controllers of the Turf in England.

Nothing is definite yet, and certain private matters are to be considered further at Newmarket. These are concerned with rumours in circulation on the course which have been brought before the stewards of the Jockey Club, and are understood to be connected with the rule relating to bets by jockeys.

Pittsburgh added another victory to her unbroken string by beating her old local rivals, Carnegie Tech 7 to 0, in a furious encounter. The Panthers won last year 14 to 6. This year only a scoreless tie has marred their campaign for the national title.

At Chicago, Wisconsin married Coach Alonzo Stagg's farewell football party with a terrific line attack, beating the University of Chicago 18 to 7. Stagg, in harness almost through the entire life of modern football, is retiring because of having reached the university age limit of 70 years.

Playing at Champaign, Ohio State won a 3 to 0 thriller from Illinois by means of a placekick. With but four minutes to play, Mickey Vuchinich dropped back and dropped the oval squarely through the goal posts from the 18-yard line.

Northwestern smothered Iowa in touchdowns 44 to 6 in another Big Ten game, and Purdue by 25 to 7 won the annual Hoosier classic from Indiana.

Texas Christian, outstanding in the Lone Star state, beat Rice Institute 16 to 6.

U. C. L. A. had an easy time with Montana, winning 32 to 0 in another outstanding West Coast match.—Associated Press.

China Mail Sports Diary.

TO-DAY
Billiards—Steel, Coulson League St. Patrick's v. C. & P. O.'s Club Palace Hotel v. Police
S. W. Borderers v. Royal Engineers
Royal Artillery v. Garrison Sergeants

Chess—Kowloon Chess Club
Championships, Senior
C. E. Wong v. A. D. Szelebrq
J. S. Smith v. B. W. Paul
B. Soltan v. A. C. Riddington
P. T. Rozario v. D. E. Carvalho
Championships, Junior
A. J. Biriukoff v. A. Kurrik
A. L. Rocha v. Dr. H. D. Matthews
J. Easton v. A. Prata
H. H. Bush v. E. E. Parry
P. Yandovich v. M. Gunkett
Hockey—Mamak Tournament
Police v. Royal Signals
(Marina 4.15)

Friendly
Club "A" v. German Club
(King's Pk. 5.15)

TO-MORROW
Cricket—League II
Police v. Engineers
Indian R. E. v. Recreation
Friendly
H'Kong C.C. v. Craigengower C.C.
Kowloon C. C. v. Civil Service C.C.
Craigengower II v. Hong Kong II
Civil Service II v. Kowloon II
Football—First Division
Navy v. Recreation
Navy v. Second Division
Ewo v. Taux
Eastern v. Borderers
Navy v. Lincoln
Club v. South China
Artillery v. St. Joseph's
Athletic v. Kowloon
Third Division
Borderers v. Radio
R.A.S.C. v. St. Joseph's
Lincoln v. South China
Athletic v. Taikee
Hockey—Mamak Tournament
Radio v. Kowloon Indians
(Caroline Hill 4.15)
Rugby
Club v. Borderers
(Happy Valley 4 p.m.)
Yachting
Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's
Fourth Championship Race for
racing yachts.

SUNDAY
Cricket—League I
Football—Third Division
Engineers v. Air Force
Hockey—Mamak Tournament
Parthian v. 20th Battery
(Navy ground 4 p.m.)
Law Tennis
Kowloon C.C. v. Shamoen Sports Club
Racing
Fanning Hunt and Race Club Steeplechase Meeting (Kwanti)
Yachting
Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club,
St. George's Society v. St. Andrew's Society

H.K.C.R.C. OFFICIALS.
The following are the new officials for the Hong Kong Chinese Recreation Club for the year 1932-1933:

Chairman: Mr. H. S. Mok.
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"WAKERS" TO LEAD TEAM IN FLOODLIGHT RUGBY.

Charity Games At 8.30 p.m.

Plans for floodlight Rugby matches at the White City have been completed, and Brig.-Gen. Critchley, chairman of the White City Stadium, announced that the first game will be on December 14.

A team of old internationals, captained by W. W. Wakefield, will meet a King's College Hospital side, led by R. Cove Smith, another former England captain.

The kick-off is at 8.30 p.m. The second match, at a date yet to be arranged, will be between hospitals north of the Thames. A third game is being arranged between United Hospitals and United Old Boys.

The gate-money will go to hospital charities.

STEEL COULSON BILLIARDS

Police Score Big Win Over Palace.

BORDERERS AND ST. PATRICK'S REGISTER WINS.

The Steel, Coulson's Billiards League opened on Friday last with three matches, results of which are given below.

The match between the Garrison Sergeants' Mess and the R.A. Sergeants' Mess was postponed owing to the Garrison Sergeants' Mess Dance.

Police Club versus Palace Club.

Remedios	115	Pile	150
Beltro	114	Blakey	150
Pocetra	127	Bradsell	150
Remedios	98	Gooding	150
Culver	137	Fender	150
Bower	97	Ellis	150
	688		900

R.E. Sgts' Mess v. S.W.B. Sgts' Mess

Pollard	73	Jarman	150
Floyd	140	Smith	150
Smith	150	Kite	147
Shillito	85	Lewis	150
Hollingsworth	129	Harris	150
Daniels	154	Organ	150
	701		897

C. & P.O.'s Club v. St. Patrick's Club

Simmonds	101	Remedios	150
Barwis	150	Silva	150
Owens	48	Gill	150
Greenwell	74	Remedios	150
Last	143	Baptista	150
Jenkins	150	Jordan	71
	606		727

The Police Club appear to be stronger than in previous years, judging by their six games win against the Palace Club. St. Patrick's Club, although without the services of the Colony Champion, A. Osmund, and his brother, made an auspicious start in winning against the C. & P. O.'s Club, and will probably finish near the top of the table.

In accounting for the R.E. Sergeants' Mess, the S.W.B. Sergeants' Mess also got well off the mark and showed excellent form.

The highest break of the evening was made by B. Baptista of the St. Patrick's Club team, who compiled an excellent break of 50.

TOTALISATOR LOSES £200
Astute Backer.

An incident at Newmarket has upset the theory that the Totalisator cannot lose.

The Earl of Lonsdale's brilliant 2-year-old, Myrobella, was considered to be a certainty for the Prendergast Stakes, and with the bookmakers, started at odds of 100 to 8 on. The filly won by six lengths.

The Tote, no matter how small the pool, pays a minimum dividend of 8d. for each 2s. unit invested, representing odds of 8 to 1 on, i.e. at least 2s. 8d. must be paid out in return for every 2s. wagered on a winning horse.

An astute professional backer, who usually does business with the bookmakers, put £500 on Myrobella with the "machine".

Others acted on the same lines, with the result that the mass attack on the Tote caused it to lose about £200. The bookmakers would lose little or nothing, since betting with them dried up completely.

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SCOTLAND SURPRISED BY WALES

SOCCER INTERNATIONAL IN EDINBURGH

ANGLO-SCOTS PLAY

London, Nov. 1. THE International match between Scotland and Wales at Edinburgh ended in a win for Wales of 5-2. There were 30,000 present. This is the first time that Anglo-Scots have been called upon since the English League imposed their ban in 1930, although that was withdrawn in March, 1931. Before the match, the Scots papers said "the inclusion of so many Anglo-Scots was sure to cause discussion, and rather bore out the suggestion that playing power in Scotland was not what it used to be and that the days of "all-tartan" team were past. On paper the team seemed to be a strong one, and should defeat Wales. The team impressed one as being sound both in defence and attack. Gray and Blair are on the small side for backs, but both are clever players, and Blair's experience with Aston Villa will have fitted him more than ever for big games."

After the match, the Scottish newspapers put the blame on the selectors, and said: The Scottish selectors, even with the inclusion of Anglo-Scots were shown that their selection was a poor one. Oil and water will not mix: the Anglo-Scots and the home Scots did not mix yesterday. There was not a man on the Scottish side that could steady his team when matters went wrong with them, and the result was that ten Welshmen trounced eleven Scots." Phillips (Wolverhampton Wanderers) was injured early in the first half, and after a couple of attempts to resume he was finally carried off with a knee or ankle injury, and did not resume.

Team Spirit.
Scotland expected a victory; what they received was a drubbing and a lesson on how the game can be played. Scotland had individual cleverness, but Wales had accuracy in passing and covering, and they had minutes later O'Callaghan, from 30 yards out, scored a goal which whole was a disappointment, and a few of those on the field, earned points enough to make them worthy of further consideration for national honours. A team spirit was quite lacking. Early in the game Crawford got one or two passes to his liking, and he put across a few balls which worried the Welsh defence, but most of the passes sent to him were such that he had little opportunity to collect on a soft ground against defenders who never hesitated over going for the ball. Early in the game James started half time. Wales had scored 4, Scotland 0. Right from the kick-off the seemed to upset both Thomson (A.) and Dewar. This may have been the reason why neither of these players struck club form throughout the game. Duncan got good service, but most of his crosses went to the head or foot of a Welshman, and James was liable to similar criticism. As a whole, the Scottish defence disappointed, the backs being particularly at fault. Thomson (Everton), the surprise selection, had the misfortune to score the first goal against his own team, and this might have upset him. Johnston and Wales had no excuse of a similar nature. There seemed to be absolutely no understanding between McLaren and his colleagues, and this may be the goalkeeper's excuse for two goals being scored from shots which were sent in from about 40 yards out. Wales won well and deservedly. They were easily the better team, even allowing for the fact that the Scots rallied in the second half and at one time looked as if they might make a fight of it. This Scottish team will never succeed against England, and many changes may be looked for in the team to appear at Hampden.

The Play.

As regards the play, Wales forced a corner through Phillips inside two minutes, but it was cleared, and James led the Scots to the other end, where Crawford sent wide. Play was fast and open. A cross by Duncan was headed in by Dewar, but John cleared. Another fine cross by Crawford was just missed by Dewar. Wales advanced, and J. Thompson put the ball through his own goal after 9 minutes. After fifteen minutes Phillips was hurt and went off. The Scots rallied with the ball, while the fast and eager Welshmen, if less clever, were more direct in their methods and, even short handed, made the running. From a scrimmage close in Griffiths increased Wales' lead, and a few minutes later O'Callaghan, from 30 yards out, scored a goal which whole was a disappointment, and a few of those on the field, earned points enough to make them worthy of further consideration for national honours. A team spirit was quite lacking. Early in the game Crawford got one or two passes to his liking, and he put across a few balls which worried the Welsh defence, but most of the passes sent to him were such that he had little opportunity to collect on a soft ground against defenders who never hesitated over going for the ball. Early in the game James started half time. Wales had scored 4, Scotland 0. Right from the kick-off the seemed to upset both Thomson (A.) and Dewar.

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F.A. Cup Struggles

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THE English Cup commences in real earnest to-morrow when the First Round Proper witnesses 68 teams struggling for inclusion in the Second Round in which the First and Second Division clubs make their debut.

In the 34 games there will be many draws as usual—Cup-tie football is most beneficial to Club finances, and two games are always more productive than one. The draw has, however, one or two very interesting games despite the fact that the junior teams entered have been unfortunate to draw league opponents.

Darwen, who visited Highbury last year in the Second Round—a team of miners playing the wealthiest and most expensive side competing in English football—have been drawn against Halifax on the latter's ground, but they are still optimistic. Their players are very fit and their determination has always stood them in good stead. Halifax should, however, overcome their first hurdle without much difficulty.

The big match of the day is quite obviously that between Reading and Brentford, the leaders of the Third Division (South), and a record crowd is anticipated. Though the visitors have the better League record, Reading are four Cup fighters. Last year Brentford were eliminated by Manchester City at Old Trafford by a score of 6-1 in the Fourth Round. Reading should win, though they may make the mistake which will allow Brentford a home replay, which may prove disastrous to the Biscuit men.

Chester should beat Rotherham United and Stockport County, Gateshead, Tranmere Rovers, Walsall, Cardiff City, Queen's Park Rangers, Torquay United, Southend United, Clapton Orient, and Crystal Palace should all emerge victorious in their more evenly-contested encounters.

ARSENAL have a splendid opportunity of displacing the Villa from the head of the English League when they entertain the greatly weakened Middlesbrough side at Highbury. The Villa are visiting Old Trafford where Manchester City are in dire need of home points, and a draw is all they can hope for after their

SCOTLAND SURPRISED

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Welshmen got down on McLaren, and O'Callaghan, within a minute of the resumption, had raised the total to 5. Still short-handed the Welshmen played with any amount of confidence, and made the Scottish defence looked very ordinary. Their half-backs could not hold the dash-ing Welshmen, and their backs were flustered and uncertain. The Scots scored twice through Dewar and Duncan before the end.

Referee:—W. P. Harper (Stourbridge). The teams were: Scotland:—M'Laren (St. Johnstone); Gray (Rangers) and Blair (Aston Villa); Wales (Motherwell), Johnston (Hearts), and Thomson (Everton); J. Crawford (Queen's Park); and Thomson (Celtic); Dewar (Third Lanark); James (Arsenal) and Duncan (Derby County).

Wales:—John (Stoke City); Williams (Everton) and Ellis (Motherwell); Keenor (Crewe Alexandra); Griffiths (Bolton Wanderers) and Richards (Wolverhampton Wanderers); Phillips (Wolverhampton Wanderers); O'Callaghan (Tottenham Hotspur); Astley (Aston Villa); Robbins (West Bromwich Albion) and Lewis (Swansea Town).

gruelling battles with Everton and the Arsenal in the last three weeks.

Everton, the League champions, are at home to Bolton Wanderers and should be able to secure both points. Newcastle United, F.A. Cup holders, are visiting the Throstles, and will surprise the football world should they defeat the Albion.

The big match in the North is that between Sheffield Wednesday and Huddersfield Town. Cup tie or no cup tie the "battle of the Tykes" is bound to attract a record attendance. The Wednesday are regaining their best form and the Town are high; placed in the table, so that a battle royal is promised with the home team slightly favourites.

MOTHERWELL and Celtic, two contenders for the Scottish League championship, are both playing away from home to-morrow, but on recent form both teams should prove successful, even though St. Mirren and Third Lanark offer stiff hurdles.

The game at St. Mirren Park will be the big game of the day in Scotland, and the home team have lost only one of their eight home fixtures.

The Rangers should win at Falkirk and may even snatch the leadership from Aberdeen, who are visiting St. Johnstone, and who may fall before the home record of 7 wins out of 8 matches.

The Hearts, who are making a determined assault on the championship, are favoured to beat Clyde, though they have garnered only 9 points from ten away matches.

RANGER'S FORECAST

FIRST DIVISION
 ARSENAL v. Middlesbrough
 Birmingham v. Wolves
 Blackburn v. Portsmouth
 Blackpool v. Leicester
 Bolton v. Bolton
 DERBY v. Leicester
 EVERTON v. Chelsea
 LEEDS v. ASTON VILLA
 MANCHESTER C. v. Huddersfield
 WEDNESDAY v. Newcastle
 SUNDERLAND v. Sheffield U.
 WEST BROM. v. Sheffield U.

SECOND DIVISION
 BRENTFORD C. v. Tottenham
 BURY v. Plymouth
 CHESTERFIELD v. Manchester U.
 FULHAM v. Stoke
 LINCOLN v. Notts Forest
 MILLWALL v. Oldham
 NOTTS C. v. Preston
 PORT VALE v. Bradford
 STAMFORD v. Grimsby
 SWANSEA v. Charlton
 WEST HAM v. Charlton

SCOTTISH LEAGUE
 ABERDEEN v. St. Johnstone
 CLYDE v. Hearts
 DUNDEE v. Ayr
 E. STIRLING v. Arbroath
 FALKIRK v. Rangers
 KILMARNOCK v. Morton
 PARTICK v. Cowdenbeath
 QUEEN'S PARK v. HAMILTON
 ST. MIRREN v. Motherwell
 THIRD LANARK v. CELTIC

F.A. CUP—First Round.
 WORKINGTON v. Southport
 ACCRINGTON v. Hereford
 DARLINGTON v. Boston
 HALIFAX v. Darwen
 SOUTHPORT v. Nelson
 CARLISLE v. Denaby
 CHESTER v. Rotherham
 CREWE v. Crooktown
 YORK v. Scarborough

(Liverpool) v. HARTLEPOOL
 DONCASTER v. Gainsborough
 ROCHDALE v. STOCKPORT
 WREXHAM v. Spennymoor
 BARROW v. GATESHEAD
 TRANMERE v. New Brighton
 ST. ALBANS v. Hull
 WALSALL v. Mansfield
 DARTFORD v. Yeoville & Petters
 CARDIFF v. Bristol Rovers
 N'THAMPTON v. Lloyds (Stirling)

BRISTOL C. v. Romford
 NEWPORT v. Ilford
 MERTHYR TOWN v. QUEEN'S P.R.
 MARGATE v. Rudestons
 TORQUAY v. Exeter
 SOUTHEND v. Exeter
 GUILDFORD v. COVENTRY
 FOLKESTONE v. NORWICH
 CLAPTON v. Aldershot
 SWINDON v. Dulwich Hamlet
 CRYSTAL P. v. Brighton
 GILLINGHAM v. Wycombe W.
 READING v. Brentford
 LUTON v. Kingstons

(Teams in black denote probable winning combinations while a draw is indicated by both teams being unchanged.)

Home And Away Soccer Tables to Date

FIRST DIVISION.

	HOME					AWAY									
	P. W.	L.	D.	Goals.	A. Pts.	P. W.	L.	D.	Goals.	Total					
Aston Villa (5)	8	8	0	0	29	9	16	7	2	1	11	9	8	24	
Arsenal (2)	7	5	1	1	24	11	11	8	6	1	23	14	13	24	
Derby. C. (15)	7	5	1	1	18	7	11	8	4	2	2	16	14	10	21
Huddersfield (4)	7	5	1	1	13	8	11	8	4	2	2	14	9	10	21
West Bromwich (6)	8	6	0	2	18	7	14	7	2	4	1	12	18	5	19
Wednesday (3)	8	6	0	2	21	9	14	7	2	4	1	11	12	5	19
Portsmouth (8)	8	6	1	1	17	9	13	7	1	3	3	17	12	5	18
"Leeds U. (-)	8	4	1	3	13	9	11	7	1	1	5	7	7	18	
Everton (1)	7	5	0	2	17	8	12	8	2	5	1	10	16	5	17
Newcastle U. (11)	8	5	2	1	19	13	11	6	2	3	1	7	8	5	16
Bolton W. (17)	8	6	1	1	22	11	13	7	1	1	6	11	26	2	15
Sunderland (13)	7	3	1	3	16	12	9	8	3	5	0	17	17	6	15
Liverpool (10)	8	3	3	2	19	12	8	7	2	3	2	12	17	6	14
Blackburn R. (16)	7	1	2	4	15	15	6	8	2	3	3	14	15	7	13
Chelsea (12)	8	3	3	2	16	15	8	7	2	5	0	8	17	4	12
Sheffield U. (7)	7	3	3	1	16	14	7	8	0	4	4	9	22	4	11
Birmingham (9)	7	4	3	0	11	10	8	8	0	6	2	7	16	2	11
Blackpool (20)	7	5	2	0	17	10	10	8	0	8	0	7	25	0	10
Manchester C. (14)	7	3	3	1	17	12	8	8	1	7	0	10	20	2	10
Leicester C. (19)	8	1	2	5	9	11	7	7	0	5	3	8	25	2	9
Middlesbrough (18)	7	1	5	1	7	15	3	7	2	1	1	14	18	5	8
"Wolves (1)	7	2	4	1	15	19	5	8	0	8	0	7	25	0	5

SECOND DIVISION.

	HOME						AWAY								
	P. W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.	P. W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	Pts.	Total		
						Goals.						Goals.	Total		
Stoke C. (3)	8	6	1	1	15	2	13	7	4	1	2	12	7	10	23
Bradford C. (7)	8	6	0	0	21	5	14	7	2	2	3	11	11	7	21
Bury (5)	7	3	0	4	15	9	10	8	4	3	1	11	7	9	19
Tottenham (8)	8	6	0	2	28	5	14	7	2	4	1	15	14	5	19
*Fulham (-)	6	5	0	1	17	8	11	8	2	3	3	15	17	7	18
Plymouth A. (4)	7	5	1	1	23	8	11	8	2	3	3	9	14	7	18
Manchester U. (12)	8	4	1	3	17	9	11	7	2	2	3	13	18	7	18
Swansea (15)	8	7	1	0	15	3	14	7	0	4	3	5	12	3	17
Southampton (14)	7	6	0	1	17	8	13	8	1	6	1	5	17	3	16
Oldham A. (18)	8	3	2	3	12	8	9	8	1	2	3	12	17	7	16
Bradford (6)	7	4	2	1	17	11	9	8	3	5	0	14	17	6	15
*Lincoln C. (-)	7	5	1	1	19	7	11	8	0	5	3	10	20	3	14
Millwall (9)	7	4	1	2	13	9	10	8	1	6	1	4	20	3	13
†Grimsby T. (-)	8	5	1	2	19	14	8	7	2	4	1	10	21	5	13
Port Vale (20)	7	4	2	1	19	8	9	7	1	4	2	5	21	4	13
Preston N.E. (13)	8	4	4	0	21	18	8	7	1	4	2	10	20	4	12
Notts F. (11)	7	1	3	3	11	13	5	8	2	3	3	10	13	7	12
Notts C. (16)	8	3	3	2	14	8	9	7	0	4	3	5	14	3	11
Chesterfield (17)	8	6	2	1	12	14	8	7	1	5	3	10	23	4	11
Burnley (19)	8	1	2	5	12	10	7	7	0	4	2	12	20	4	11
†West Ham U. (-)	7	3	2	2	20	14	8	8	0	7	1	5	27	1	9
Charlton A. (10)	8	2	4	2	12	12	6	7	1	5	1	5	15	3	9

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

	HOME					AWAY					Totals				
	P.W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.W.	L.	D.	F.	A.					
Brentford (5)	7	6	0	1	15	6	13	8	6	1	1	19	9	13	26
Reading (2)	8	6	0	2	27	10	14	7	2	2	3	13	11	7	21
Northwich C. (10) ..	8	4	1	3	17	10	11	7	2	2	1	4	10	8	19
Exeter C. (7)	8	3	1	2	20	10	11	7	3	2	2	10	15	8	19
Bristol R. (18)	8	6	1	1	20	12	13	7	1	3	3	12	14	5	18
Crystal P. (4)	7	5	2	0	17	8	10	8	2	3	3	11	14	7	17
Queen's P.R. (13) ..	8	3	2	3	16	15	9	7	3	3	1	14	15	7	16
Luton T. (6)	8	6	0	2	25	9	14	7	0	6	1	4	18	1	15
Northampton (14) ..	7	5	0	2	26	6	12	8	0	5	3	10	18	3	15
Aldershot (-)	8	5	2	1	14	6	11	7	1	4	2	10	18	4	15
Bournemouth (15) ..	7	3	1	3	16	10	9	8	1	4	3	9	18	6	15
Watford (11)	8	6	1	2	14	10	11	7	2	0	5	9	14	4	15
Bristol C. (-)	7	4	1	2	19	10	10	8	1	5	2	9	14	4	14
Coventry C. (12) ..	7	5	2	0	20	11	10	8	1	5	2	14	21	4	14
Southend U. (3)	8	2	2	4	15	12	8	8	2	3	3	11	21	6	14
Torquay U. (19)	8	4	2	2	25	13	10	7	1	5	1	7	15	3	13
Brighton (-)	7	4	1	2	9	3	10	7	1	5	1	11	23	3	13
Clapton O. (16)	7	1	1	5	7	9	7	8	1	4	3	11	21	5	12
Gillingham (17)	7	4	3	0	14	10	8	7	1	5	0	7	16	3	11
Swindon T. (17)	7	3	2	2	14	12	8	8	1	7	0	11	23	2	10
Cardiff C. (9)	8	4	3	1	18	18	9	7	0	6	1	8	23	1	10
Newport C. (-)	7	1	3	3	12	17	9	9	1	6	2	9	23	4	9

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

	HOME					AWAY					Totals		
	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals.			
Chester (3)	9	4	1	4	17	7	5	2	0	15	8	10	22
Hull C. (8)	7	6	0	1	26	6	3	3	2	12	12	8	21
Wrexham (10)	9	7	1	1	27	9	15	8	1	3	2	11	17
Gateshead (6)	8	4	1	3	21	3	15	7	1	4	1	10	8
Gateshead (2)	8	7	0	1	23	7	12	8	2	3	3	12	14
Accrington S. (14)	8	6	2	0	25	10	12	8	1	3	4	8	18
Southport (7)	8	7	0	1	18	4	15	7	0	4	3	3	15
Barrow (5)	7	2	2	3	15	11	7	8	4	2	2	8	7
Walsall (16)	8	7	0	1	19	7	15	8	0	7	1	6	18
Doncaster (15)	7	3	0	4	14	9	10	8	1	3	4	10	16
*Barnsley (-)	7	4	2	1	18	12	9	8	2	3	3	11	18
*Stockport C. (12)	7	4	2	1	18	12	9	10	3	2	3	11	18
Rochdale (21)	8	4	2	2	10	8	10	7	2	4	1	11	12
*Mansfield T. (-)	8	5	1	2	21	7	12	7	0	5	2	10	18
Carlisle U. (18)	9	3	3	3	9	8	9	7	2	4	1	5	11
Rotherham U. (19)	8	5	1	2	10	5	12	7	0	6	1	4	24
York C. (9)	8	3	2	3	21	20	9	7	2	5	0	7	15
Tranmere (4)	7	3	3	1	18	15	7	8	2	5	1	8	16
Hullfax T. (17)	7	2	3	1	13	7	7	8	1	5	2	14	23
Hartlepool (13)	7	4	1	1	9	8	8	6	0	6	2	14	24
Darlington (11)	7	2	2	1	12	8	8	6	0	6	2	8	22
New Brighton (20)	7	1	4	2	11	19	4	8	1	6	1	7	26



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THE RED SECOND

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"He was like a boy, so eager to be off. Couldn't wait a minute, so they got started without delay. On the Jersey side of the Hudson Tube, when Harry stopped at a telegraph office, Mr. Whipple almost lost his good humour; but Harry was insistent on that one point.

"It wasn't a very cheery message he sent to Flo. Just a couple of lines to say that he was motoring back, dead-broke, and if she didn't want to see him she could wire a certain little hotel in Cleveland where he had stopped on his way East. When Harry had finished this he looked up and found Mr. Whipple at his elbow, reading over his shoulder. This would have been annoying, of course, but the old fellow's smile was so protective. He even insisted on paying for the telegram; he was like a guardian angel, trying to bring two loving hearts together.

"So they were off again. Wonderful person to travel with, this Mr. Whipple, pleasant and easy-going. He enlivened the trip with stories of his youth. He was a retired watch manufacturer. As a young man he had squandered money in Paris and Berlin, and didn't regret a cent of it. Harry certainly couldn't have asked for a better travelling companion. He wasn't a nervous passenger, in spite of his ill-health. Speed was good for him, he said, just what the doctor ordered. Seventy miles an hour seemed to be his preference; and when Harry showed signs of slowing down the old gentleman would suggest, 'You don't mind stepping on it, do you? It's very exhilarating.' Neurotic people, you know, take notions like that.

"Their first stop-over was at Harrisburg, a hundred and eighty-five miles. Mr. Whipple wasn't satisfied at all, wanted to push on, but it was raining cats and dogs, and Harry had a little sense left, in spite of the way he was behaving about Flo. So his passenger gracefully compromised with a promise that they'd be off early in the morning and make Cleveland if possible; and a jump of four hundred and fifty miles is a good bellyful for anybody that's crazy about mileage.

"That first night they found a good hotel, where Mr. Whipple sank exhausted in a dark corner of the lobby and let Harry make all the arrangements. The old gentleman insisted on the best double room in the house. Since the operation on his eye, he said, he was nervous about sleeping alone. And here was another of his peculiarities: he had to take medicinal baths night and morning—doctor's orders.

"As I remember it out of the dim and mouldy past," said Judge Brinkerhoff dispassionately, "love is a form of narcotic which superinduces a hypnotic monomania directed toward a fixed idea. And that idea is usually a lot of damn fool nonsense.

"With Harry the fixed idea was Flo. But, in spite of his fuddled state, the boy couldn't help wondering about Mr. Whipple and those medicinal baths. All that

afternoon, driving like mad, his passenger had been strong as a lion, but here in the hotel he became positively senile, barely able to be helped up to his room. Then he took his little handbag and locked himself into the bathroom. Nothing was heard for half an hour but water running into the tub. Then he came out, apparently quite refreshed, very elegant in his blue silk pyjamas.

"Harry couldn't help admiring his appearance as he sat up in bed, nibbling at an invalid's supper. He looked like a one-eyed earl, with his white moustache and mane of silvery hair.

"An hour later, when Harry got into his own bed, he saw Mr. Whipple sleeping on his side; his face would have been noble if it hadn't been disfigured by that ugly patch. On the floor, very close to him, he had set the little black bag. It contained medicine, he had explained, and sometimes in the night his heart was jumpy. "Harry's heart was jumpy, too. He kept dreaming and waking. Once in the small hours, lying there, facing the other bed, he got a creepy notion. In the sort of twilight you always find in hotel rooms he looked over at Mr. Whipple and decided that he wasn't sleeping at all. One eye was wide open, gazing at Harry. It gave the boy the fidgets so that he couldn't stand it any longer. "Anything wrong, Mr. Whipple?" he asked. It had an unexpected effect. Mr. Whipple's voice was soft, but it had a queer, threatening sound. "You let me alone! That was all.

"At dawn Harry was awakened by his friend's gentle touch and the admonition, 'We'd better be stirring if we're going to make Cleveland.' I've had my bath, and I'm feeling much stronger. And I've ordered a hearty breakfast sent up." Mr. Whipple was again his amiable self, anxious for the road and another day of wholesome speeding.

"Again they were out on the road, burning their way westward a little faster than the law allows. Mr. Whipple, regardless of danger, went on talking in his fatherly, helpful way. He believed in the Golden Rule, he said. Always consider the other fellow's feelings.

"And another thing, said Mr. Whipple: a young man in a big, rich town like ours should be given his opportunities. All this along the road, whizzing by town after town. It had its emotional appeal for a boy like Harry Wynne, flying in the face of fate, desperate for a turn of luck. That afternoon, when they stopped for a sandwich, Harry began to realise that in Mr. Whipple he had found a powerful friend; a friend of whose aid he had never dreamed.

"The effect on Mr. Whipple was magical. 'It's a crime,' he said, 'that a smart young fellow like you should be hounded for money on the eve of his wedding. Son, I think you'd better stick by me, and we'll see what we can do.' Harry was choking on his sandwich, trying to frame a proper acceptance speech, but Mr. Whipple rubbed his hands impatiently and urged: 'We'd better be pushing on, or we'll never make Cleveland to-night.'

"Did they make Cleveland?" I asked. "Oh, yes. They stopped at an old-fashioned hotel, the one where Harry had asked Flo to send her telegram. Mr. Whipple approved heartily of the place, said that modern hotels got on his nerves; and when he was jumping to the elevator and his medicinal bath the clerk gave Harry a Western Union envelope. The message turned Harry hot and cold; he crumpled it in his pocket, and was jumping toward the telegraph office to send good news about a rich patron and bright prospects when the corner of his eye lit on a pile of tabloid papers on the news stand.

"A picture on the front page froze every other idea out of his head; he held the sheet under his nose, swallowed the scarehead whole, felt as though it had hit him like a dose of poison in the pit of the stomach. He hardly knew how he got up to his room; he was trembling the way you do when you see something that braces themselves to meet the real thing.

"He stole softly into the room, expecting to face the danger there. But Mr. Whipple was taking his medicinal bath. Water was running in the tub, the bathroom door was closed. But here was something which couldn't have happened in a new-style model hotel; there was an old-fashioned transom half-way above Mr. Whipple's mysterious ablutions.

"He got on a chair and peered over. In a mirror above the washstand he saw Mr. Whipple's face; he had taken off his patch, and the eye he had kept covered was just as good as the other one. He was very busy, like an actor—an actor making up for a grandfather part. He had a can of some white preparation and was rubbing it into his hair, turning it a beautiful smooth silver. It would have been funny if it hadn't been blood-curdling; for he hadn't got around to his moustache yet. He had only washed it, so far, and it was a

QUICK RETIREMENT IN THE NAVY.

Promotions Bring Brief Service.

(Reuter's Special Mail Service.)

London. Fourteen Captains are being promoted to flag rank, and all but two of these are being placed on the retired list after 24 hours as active Rear-Admirals.

In all nineteen promotions and retirements in the higher ranks of the Navy have been simultaneously announced by the Admiralty.

They start with Admiral the Hon. Sir Hubert Brand, who has been placed on the retired list at his own request "to facilitate the promotion of younger officers." Vice-Admiral Sir Vernon Haggard is promoted to Admiral and is also voluntarily retiring.

Consequently, Vice-Admiral P. H. Hall-Thompson becomes an Admiral while Rear-Admirals M.E. Dunbar-Nasmith V.C., Commander in Chief on the East Indies Station, and the Hon. Matthew R. Best, Admiral Superintendent of Malta are promoted to Vice-Admiral and re-appointed in that rank.

ARCHITECTURE.

Mr. Owen's Address.

A very interesting lecture on architecture was given by Mr. W. H. Owen, B. S. Tech., A.R.I.B.A., to the Institution of Engineers and Shipbuilders of Hong Kong, at the Volunteer drill hall on Wednesday last.

Among those present were Mr. P. T. Farrell, President, the Governor, Mr. F. P. R. James, M.C., A. M. I. Struct. E., and Messrs. A. Webster, S. T. Williamson and H. Reg. Latham, E. E. S. (Hon. Librarian).

In opening his lecture, Mr. Owen said there were many ways of dealing with such a subject as "Architecture." He said he would endeavour to make clear the intimate connection between architecture and the man in the street, and in doing so, would show that the general interest in the subject was not merely a matter of culture but a matter of vital concern both to the individual and to architecture itself.

Most people, continued Mr. Owen took it for granted that architecture only affected those people who came into contact with it, but a few people realised that they themselves affected architecture, in some cases individually, and in others collectively.

SCOT'S TRAIN TRIP.

(Reuter's Special Mail Service.)

London. An Edinburgh man has travelled 1,709 miles for ten shillings.

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STEAMERS' MOVEMENTS.

The R.M.S. "Empress of Asia" arrived at Vancouver on November 22 (Tuesday) at 2 a.m., leaves Vancouver on December 3 (Saturday) and is due here on December 22 (Thursday). She leaves for Manila on the same day.

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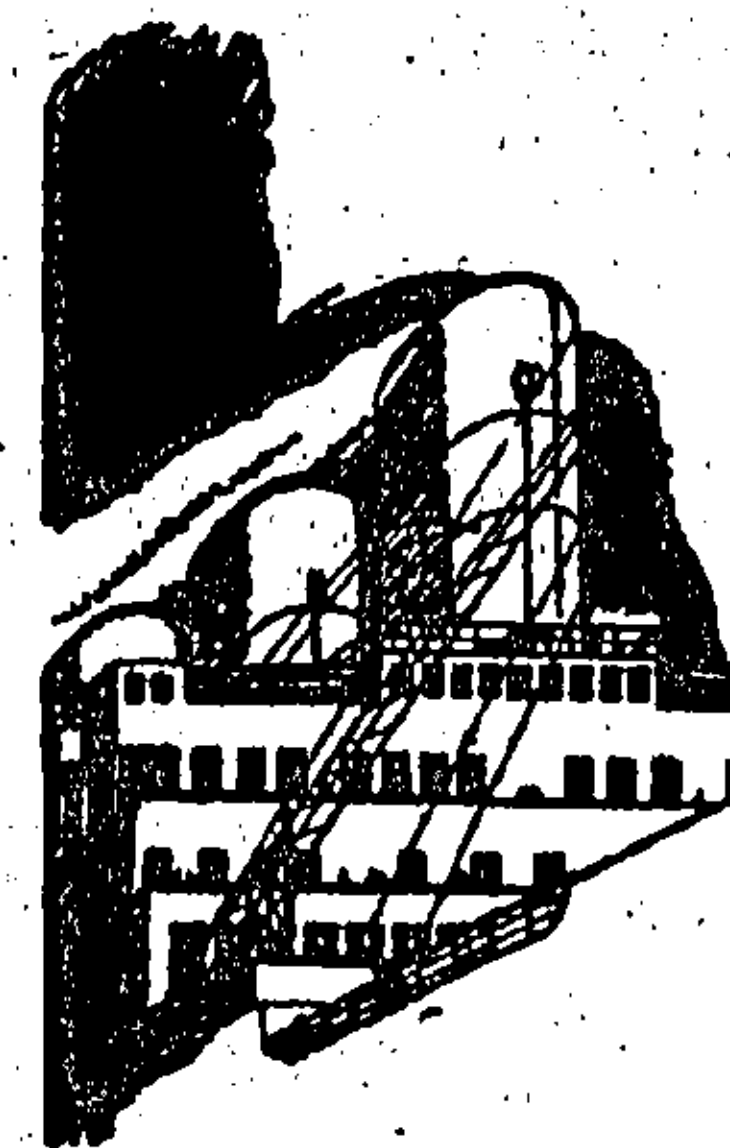
smooth sea-brown.

"Harry, up on his chair, waited, watching. Now Mr. Whipple was attending to his moustache, adding thirty years to it with the artificial aid of a toothbrush. This was a long, careful process, and gave the spy a chance to take another scared glance at the picture in the tabloid, compare it with the face in the mirror and read the black streamer. 'Notorious Lone Wolf Killer Traced to Spick' Rooney. And the caption: 'Notorious Lone Wolf Killer who shot a millionaire's butler Monday afternoon and got away with \$750,000 worth of jewels.'

"Harry Wynne stood there, thinking of the yellow streak in him, yellow as the telegraph blank rumbled up in his pocket. Then the eyes in the mirror went slowly up and looked straight at him through the crack in the transom. There was death in that stare, and a sort of hypnotism. Suddenly the bathroom door burst open like a bomb; Harry went head over heels and found a little black gun rammed against his stomach.

"Mr. Whipple wasn't looking so benevolent now as he crouched over, one hand gripping the gun, the other pointing at the tabloid; the floor, and he said in a voice, 'no' at all, like Mr. Whipple's. 'No, you've brought me

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KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	31st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
1933.			
*SOUDAN	6,800	7th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, H'burg, R'dam, A'werp & Hull.
RANCHI	17,000	14th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
CARTHAGE	14,000	28th Jan.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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RAJPUTANA	17,000	25th Feb.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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*MIZAPUR	6,715	3rd Dec.	Moji & Kobe.
*NANKIN	7,000	4th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka & Y'hama.
RANCHI	17,000	18th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BURDWAN	6,500	29th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	14,000	30th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
1933.			
NALDERA	16,000	13th Jan.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*SOMALI	6,800	25th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	27th Jan.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CORFU	15,000	10th Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BANGALORE	6,500	23rd Feb.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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The Red Second

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this far and you're not going to squawk. We drive on to-night. This rod will be on you till we say good-bye. Phone the office that we're checking out. Harry phoned. The steel nose was against his back and a bad voice was instructing: "Don't make a wrong wriggle. I'll try for what I've done already, so what's one more to me? Now, let's talk business. You need the dough. Take me where I say, close your trap and there's five grand for you."

"Packing nervously, the gun against his side, Harry was thinking. Five grand. Flo could say what she pleased, but money was what they'd have to have. Think of his blowing into Los Angeles with a wad like that! Maybe he'd have to tell a story or two—something about the stock market.

"It was a queer parade down the elevator into the lobby. Mr. Whipple held the gun under his overcoat and managed a heavy bag with his free hand. Harry, burdened like a porter, felt the thing tickling his ribs. Even when he paid his bill it still tickled. He tickled as he stood outside waiting for the car to be brought up to the garage. It tickled as he took the wheel and started away down the street.

"It was a little after eleven, and they had to drive carefully, for traffic was heavy just then; people were coming home from the movies. During the delay Mr. Whipple, in his new role, had time to talk. "Kid, with five grand in your pocket you and your girl can bust Los Angeles wide open."

"Don't I know it?" said Harry Wynne, but his voice was dry as chips. Just then the traffic light turned and they were on their way again. And the end of that gun grew from a tickle chronic pain.

"Ahead of him Harry saw a gas station and began to draw toward the curb. "What's the idea?" Bazzing like a bee in his ear, "Gas," said Harry, and it was like the sound of his lips cracking. Maybe he had the notion of calling out to the man at the red pump, but the pain in his side jumped like a toothache. And something else held Harry's tongue. Five grand. The girl in Los Angeles, waiting for a wedding.

"Mr. Whipple used his free hand to pay the bill when his tank was full, and Harry didn't need any orders to start back into the crowded street. But in the action of turning the wheel a little thing happened to Harry Wynne; a very little thing, small and sharp as a bullet, passing through his body. In bringing his elbow down he felt a lump of paper squash together inside his clothes. It was the telegram he had rumpled up and tucked into his pocket the minute before he read that murder story in the tabloid.

"Just that flash, that red second when Flo seemed to be talking to him. She seemed to make him think something out, the way we sometimes do when we haven't time to think. Then he set his teeth and let his gears jump horribly into the traffic jam. He was battleminded now, a soldier going over the top, too yellow to run away. That's right, step on it! his passenger was clinging in his ear. Harry was seeing red—the red of a traffic light. A solid stream of cars was passing in front of him at right angles, but without the slightest hesitation he plunged ahead and ran, smack into a little blue runabout that got in his way.

"The result was a small earthquake. Broken glass, flying oil, and Harry's car rolling over like a dead mule. A gun went off somewhere. Through the blood running down his face he could see Mr. Whipple bounce out of a door, all crooked and twisted. It didn't require any play-acting now for him to look like an invalid as he tried to crawl away. Policemen and more policemen seemed to boll out of the ground. "Get that man—he's Spick Rooney!" Harry thought he heard himself bawling out those orders. But when he came back to earth he was in the City Hospital pretty well covered with bandages.

"That little runabout Harry hit was a police car. So, you see, our young man delivered Spick Rooney to the right address. Harry told me that he was thinking about Flo's telegram when the idea occurred to him."

The judge brought out his wallet and found a complete sheet of Western Union stationery. "Harry lent me this after the trial," he said. "But I've got to send it back."

I unfolded the paper and read: DARLING YOU OUGHT TO KNOW THE MONEY DON'T MATTER. THE ONLY THING I WANT IS YOU. MY DEAR, JUST AS YOU ARE. FLO.

HONG KONG TIDES.

The time used is Standard or mean time of the meridian of 120 deg. E. 120 is midnight, 12 hrs. is noon. The heights are referred to the datum of the largest scale Admiralty chart of the place and should be added to the depths given on the chart unless preceded by an asterisk (*), when they should be subtracted from the depths.

Nov. 25 to Dec. 1, 1932.

Date	High Water	Low Water
	Standard Ht.	Standard Ht.
	Times	Times
Fri. 25	07.00 05.50	09.00 08.30
Sat. 26	18.10 05.40	01.42 02.23
Sun. 27	09.19 05.42	02.55 03.50
Mon. 28	10.17 05.38	03.25 04.10
Tues. 29	11.15 05.34	04.00 04.50
Wed. 30	12.13 05.30	04.35 05.05
Thurs. 1	13.10 05.26	05.10 05.40

HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS

ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK.

Orders issued by Lieut.-Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commanding H.K.V.D.C.:—

Hong Kong, Nov. 24, 1932.

Battery.

Parade at Headquarters at 5.15 p.m. on Tuesday, November 29th, for Signallers and Layers.

Parade at Headquarters at 5.25 p.m., sharp, for Gun drill on Thursday, December 1st.

Engineer Company.

Parade at Miniature Range at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 28th. Instant.

Corps Signals.

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, 29th. November.

Armoured Car Section.

Those proceeding to Camp in the cars on Friday, 25th. Instant will parade at the Car Park opposite the Y.M.C.A. in Kowloon at 6 p.m.

Dress:—R. T. C. Caps, Tunics, Trousers, Boots, Greatcoats, Web belts, Haversacks and Waterbottles.

Machine Gun Company.

The Company will proceed to Camp at Fanling on Friday, 25th. Instant by the 6.08 p.m. train from Kowloon.

The Company will parade as strong as possible at 5.30 p.m. on Friday, 2nd. December in mufti in Close Column of Platoons for Machine Gun Training at Headquarters.

Scottish Company.

Thursday, 1st. December. Machine Gun Training.

No. 6 Platoon parade at Kowloon Dock under 2nd. Lieut. T. P. Saunderson at 5.30 p.m.

No. 7 Platoon parade at Headquarters under 2nd. Lieut. A. W. Brown at 5.30 p.m.

A.A.L.A. Company.

As from date, and until further orders, Section Drills will be discontinued and members of the Company who have not yet completed the necessary number of drills for proficiency will parade for combined instruction at Volunteer Headquarters every Monday at 5.30 p.m.

Portuguese Company.

Platoon Commanders and N.C.O.'s only will parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, November 29th, in order to discuss points arising out of the Camp Training of the preceding week-end and arrange details regarding Training Schemes for the following Camp.

Any member of the Company may attend if he wishes.

Company Orderly Officer for the week ending Sunday, 4th. December—Lieut. J. V. V. dos Remedios.

Camp

The Company will proceed to Camp on Friday 25th. November. Details have already been issued to all members of the Company—but all ranks should note that the time of the train is 6.08 p.m. from Kow-

loon. N.C.O.'s should bring small note books and pencils with them.

Anzac Company.

N.C.O.'s Parade will be held on Friday, 25th. November at Volunteer Headquarters.

The Company will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday, 28th. November.

Motor Machine Gun Section

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 28th. Instant.

Classification of Signallers.

Reference to the recent Classification of Signallers of the H.K.V.D. Corps. The General Officer Commanding was very pleased to receive the excellent report from the Classifying Officer and congratulates the Unit concerned.

Promotions and Appointments

No. 209 B.Q.M.S. Jack. J. M. Batery, promoted Battery Sergeant Major with effect from 24.11.32.

No. 1765 Pte. R.A. Edwards, No. 2 Platoon, appointed Acting Lance Corporal with effect from 22.11.32.

No. 1596 Pte. L. G. Silva, No. 9 Platoon, appointed Lance Corporal with effect from 24.11.32.

No. 1374 Pte. J. F. Guerreiro, No. 10 Platoon, appointed Lance Corporal with effect from 24.11.32.

Transfer

No. 1881 Gnr. G. H. Fowler, Battery, is transferred to Motor Machine Gun Section as from 24.11.32.

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No. 1385 Pte. M. A. Oliveira, No. 11 Platoon, as from 10.11.32.

Amendments.

Corps Orders No. 46/32 para: 7 regarding Sigm. G. R. Hulbert's leave the date "from 15.11.32 to 31.12.32" should read "from 15.11.32 to 31.12.32."

Leave.

Major G. D. R. Black, V.D., M.D., C.M.Tor., Medical Section, granted 10 months' leave from 19.11.32 to 19.9.33.

No. 1822 Pte. H. P. Lim, Anzac Company, granted 1½ months' leave from 15.11.32 to 31.12.32.

No. 1264 L/Cpl. A. Tarbuck, Corps Signals, granted 2 months' leave from 18.11.32 to 17.1.33.

Strength.

The following has been taken on the Strength:—

No. 1978 Piper S. J. Pollock, Scottish Company 17.11.32.

(Sgd.) Capt. W. H. G. Goater, Adjutant.

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INWARD MAILS.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25.

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Parcels Nov. 25, 3 p.m.
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Letters 5 p.m.

OUTWARD MAILS.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25.

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Letters 3 p.m.

Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and *Europe via Victoria B.C. and *Europe via Siberia President Cleveland
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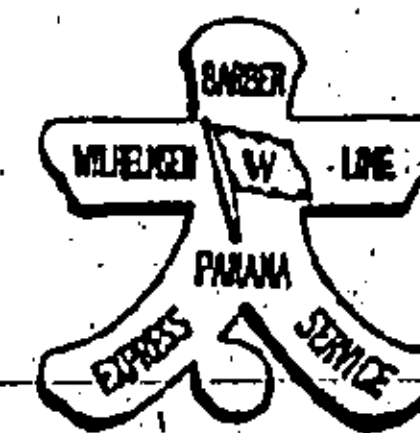
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